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1800's

- (1810) the first elections were held in the County.
- (1837) the County of Annapolis was divided to include the County of Digby.
- Old Post Road and rural school system improved.
- Weymouth Trading Post established.
- Ship Building is a major industry in the area.
- (1879) the District of Digby was incorporated.
- (1891) the railway (the missing link) between Annapolis and Digby was completed.
- Joshua Slocum sails around the world alone.
- Temperance Movement.
- Summer Tourism Industry develops.
- I.M. Singer invents the sewing machine.
- Canadian Confederation (1867)
- Klondike Gold Rush
- The Supreme Court of Canada is established
- Florence Nightingale takes London nurses to the battlefields of the Crimean War

1900's

- Poor Farm in operation
- Isaiah Wilson's Geography and History of the County of Digby Published.
- Prime Minister Sir Wilfred Laurier visits Digby.
- Marconi transmits wireless message across the Atlantic
- Queen Victoria dies
- The Boxer Rebellion breaks out in China.
- The Boer War in Southern Africa ends

1910's

- (1912) last race of the Brattain Cup in the Annapolis Basin.
- First motorized vehicle in the area.
- Communities collect cloths and money for the war effort.
- Spanish Flue kills many in the area.
- First Calgary Stampede
- Women in Canada get the vote
- Halifax explosion
- WW1
- The Titanic Disaster
- Norwegian Roald Amundsen becomes the first to reach the South Pole.

1920's

- Motorized vehicles becoming more common.
- Last wooden ship built in Bear River.
- Electric lights installed in villages.
- Motorized vehicles becoming more common
- Canadian Schooner "Bluenose" wins the International Fisherman's Trophy
- Agatha Christie launches her career as a mystery writer.
- George Carnarvon and Howard Carter unearth King Tutankhamen's tomb

1930's

- Economic Depression.
- Rural electric lines being installed.
- Electric lights installed in villages.
- Highway paving projects underway.
- First crossing of the Princess Helene Ferry.
- Rum running along the coast.
- Rum running in its heyday
- Dionne quintts born in Ontario
- Movie "King Kong" released starring Canadian Fay Wray
- WW II begins

1940's

- Digby home to WWII submarine base.
- CFB Cornwallis largest training base in the Commonwealth.
- Scallop Industry expands.
- Hog farming expands.
- Population decline in rural communities.
- Newfoundland enters confederation
- UN Formed
- U.S. planes drop atomic bombs on Hiroshima and Nagasaki
- Orson Welles' film Citizen Kane, premieres

1950's

- Bus service along the Digby Neck.
- Population in villages continue to decline. NORAD formed with USA
- National Ballet of Canada founded
- Bear River Power Plant built
- Korean War
- Smoking linked to lung cancer
- Sputnik launched
- Castro takes over power in Cuba
- Elizabeth II coronation - Queen of England

1960's

- Sissiboo Power Plant built.
- Kejimikujik Park established.
- Conners Brothers Fish Cannery Plant closes in Freeport.
- Fish Meal Plant opens in Mink Cove.
- Weymouth Industries closure.
- Bear River Village Fire.
- Canada celebrates 100th birthday
- Pierre Trudeau sworn in as Prime Minister
- Bay of Pigs invasion
- Thalidomide deformities revealed
- Cuban Missile Crisis
- John F. Kennedy assassinated
- Demonstrations against Vietnam War

1970's

- Evangeline Mall built.
- New CN Ferry Terminal built.
- Ground Hog Day Storm.
- Municipal Airport opens.
- Hwy 101 completed to Digby.
- First Computer used.
- Jones Bottling Plant burns in Weymouth
- War Measures Act invoked
- Pierre Laporte murdered
- Canada-Soviet Summit Series in hockey begins
- Quebec language legislation (Bill 101) passes
- Munich massacre at the Olympics
- Rock stars Jimi Hendrix and Janis Joplin die.
- At Kent State University in Ohio, protesting students are killed by National Guardsmen

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New Year Message

L. MacDonald, Opposition Leader

The two qualities which will stand us in the stead at the present time are Intelligence and Courage. Intelligence will show us what our possibilities are. Courage will make their attainment possible.

We have been caught in the whirl of a depression wide as the world. It is impossible to truthfully state that we have not felt the sting of Nova Scotia. On the other hand, it would be as useless as it would be cowardly to throw up our hands in despair. Fate has dealt us stern blows in the past. We should resolve for the future to be the captains of our own fate and the moulders of our own destiny.

In times like these we often gain light and comfort from the past, and from the manner in which the great men of other days looked on a reminder that nearly one hundred years ago, after Halifax had suffered from a deadly epidemic similar to those which confront us now.

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- Coats, Blue, Brown, Grey
- All Wool Blankets, Bed Comfortables
- Chairs Floor Coverings

Business Conditions During the Holiday Season

Digby merchants report Christmas business as good considering that we are supposed to be in the midst of a business depression, and that we had more or less bad weather in the few days preceding Christmas.

With the exception of radios for which there was a heavy demand the most of the sales were of moderate priced articles, but the volume of these sold made up for the smaller price of the individual article.

Taking it all in all Digby business men express themselves as well satisfied not only with the Christmas trade but with trade generally throughout the year 1930. We have felt little, if any, of the world wide depression and it is possible we may escape it altogether if there comes a turn in the tide this year.

One Ratepayer Objects To That Bonus

To the Editor of the Courier.
 Sir—I wonder if some reliable rate payer could tell me why a bonus of \$100 was given to the town clerk. His salary is sufficient to pay him for all his work. I do not know by what authority the Council can do that. The money paid for taxes comes from the rich and poor alike. Be it great or be it small why should a bonus be given in a small town like this, when so much depression is around us, and no bonus given to any other employee. How can the councillors take the people's money to pay the town clerk \$100? If they as a body, wished to give him a Christmas present in appreciation of what he did for them, why not put their hands in their pockets, each and every one of them, and give it to him, not tax the people in the New Year to pay it. Small increase indeed for the faithful man who brings the light bills, and in all kinds of storms keeps the poles to keep the lights going. I, being only a small tax payer, can agree with the dissenting vote, that \$100 would put some gravel on the icy sidewalks and keep them open for pedestrians. Have the townspeople nothing to say about how the funds shall be spent?

Taxpayer

Early Morning Service In Little River Church

The 7 o'clock Christmas service on Thursday, (which has been the custom for the last five years) was as usual observed and, although a very early hour, a good congregation were there filled with the Christmas spirit, willing to give God the first part of the day's celebration. Rev. C. L. Chute, the pastor, gave a stirring address on "Christ's Birth and His Wonderful Gift of Love to All Mankind." He was assisted by Rev. I. D. Harvey. The usual Christmas music by the choir, under the direction of Mrs. Bowman Collins, was rendered on Sunday night. The church was prettily decorated with ever-green and holly by the younger members.

New Vice-Principal For Digby Academy

Miss Agnes MacLennan, B.A., of Inverness, has been engaged by the school board to take the place of Miss McWhinnie, vice-principal, who has been granted two months' leave of absence, on account of the serious illness of her mother. Miss MacLennan will arrive on Monday.

visitation of cholera and the Province had experienced an acute financial depression, Joseph Howe delivered an address before the Halifax Mechanics' Institute, in which he gave expression to ideas which might well be recalled and pondered at this time. Mr. Howe, after referring to the commercial greyness, which certain other countries had attained, and after expressing his belief that Nova Scotia might do likewise, went on to say:

"Let me not be misunderstood. I am neither seeing visions nor dreaming dreams, but reasoning upon facts sanctioned by the experience of ages. I wish to build up agriculture, commerce and manufactures upon the surest of foundations—the mental and moral cultivation of the people. If knowledge is power, let us get knowledge. If our position presents difficulties, let us study to overcome them; and if we can only surpass others by a higher measure of patriotism, sagacity and endurance than they possess, let us never cease to hope and labor until that standard is attained."

In these words the greatest of Nova Scotians spoke not only for his own time but for our day as well. To overcome her difficulties Nova Scotia must study and understand them, and having understood them she must apply the remedy whatever it may be. With intelligence pointing the way and with courage urging us on, I believe that we can look forward confidently to the not distant day, when this Province will regain something of her past position and her former glory.

May the year 1931 see the dawning of a better day and the beginning of a greater prosperity for all the people of Nova Scotia.

MANY CHANGES IN D. A. R. TIME TABLE

The convenience and comfort of the travelling public have apparently been the first consideration of the Dominion Atlantic Railway in preparing new passenger train schedules which have been published and which will become effective January 5th.

The new schedules provide for a faster service and, even more important perhaps, time of departure of the various trains from Kentville, Halifax, Truro and Yarmouth have been re-scheduled in such a way as to be vastly more convenient to the patrons of the road.

No. 98 has been speeded up, reducing the elapsed time from Halifax to Yarmouth by twenty minutes. This train will, after January 4th, leave Halifax at 9 o'clock a. m., (daily except Sunday). Instead of half past seven as heretofore, a change which the public cannot fail to appreciate. The greater speed makes the time of arrival at Yarmouth only ten minutes later than at present.

No. 98 now leaves Yarmouth at 8.15 a. m., will continue to leave at that hour but thirty-five minutes have been clipped from her running schedule bringing the train into Halifax at the very convenient time of 5.20 in the afternoon, instead of 5.55 as at present. Passengers leaving Saint John at 7.15 a. m. on the steamer Princess Helen, will arrive in Halifax at 7.15 a. m. on the train, which will arrive in Truro at 5.05 p. m., and arrive at Truro at 7.25, will, in future, leave Windsor at 4 o'clock and arrive in Truro at 6.15 in good time for dinner. The Tuesday and Saturday party morning train from Kentville to Truro will leave Kentville at the much more desirable hour of 7 o'clock, instead of 8.35, as at present. All trains on the Midland Branch have been slightly speeded up.

The early morning train from Kentville to Halifax, No. 96, which now leaves at 8.05 a. m., will on the new schedule leave at 8.30, arriving in Halifax at 11.30, and on the return trip will leave Halifax at 3.15 instead of 3.00, arriving in Kentville at 6.10 p. m.

On the Cornwallis Valley Branch, changes have been made as follows: No. 12 will depart at 11.20 a. m., instead of 11 o'clock, and No. 13 will arrive in Kentville at 1.45 p. m., instead of 2.15 p. m., this change being made to correspond with the later arrival of No. 95 from Halifax and the earlier arrival of No. 98 from Yarmouth. No. 18, now scheduled to leave at 6.15 p. m., will depart at 6.30 p. m.

The change in the time of departure from terminals and the faster running schedules will, of course, have the natural effect of changing the time of arrival and departure at all stations on the line. At Kentville, No. 95, which is now due at 10.30 a. m., will in future arrive at 10.55, while No. 98 will pull into the station at 2.08 p. m., instead of 2.37 p. m.

Town Collects Almost All Its Taxes

The story of hard times in Digby which we hear on every hand, must be somewhat exaggerated. The town books closed on Wednesday afternoon, and the clerk announced that 97 1/2 per cent of the total taxes for 1930 had been collected. The figures exceed those of 1929 by a half of one per cent. This is a splendid showing and we very much doubt if it can be equalled in any other town in the province.

Acetabular Resident Died Very Suddenly

Bernard Barton, colored, aged 51 years, died very suddenly on Monday. He had been ailing for about two years, and had been away to a hospital for treatment, but his death was totally unexpected. He was taken with an ill turn while working in his barn and died shortly after he had been taken into the house. He was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Barton, and leaves a wife, five daughters and one son, also several grand children and one sister. The funeral will take place this afternoon.

Week of Prayer Be Held Next Week

The following arrangements have been made for the Week of Prayer. Services will be held on Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings of next week. The Monday and Wednesday services will be held in the United Church Hall and the Friday service in the Salvation Army Barracks. There will be good music and interesting addresses. An offering will be taken each evening for the Canadian Bible Society Funds. The public are cordially invited.

Sunday Activities In Trinity Parish

Services on Sunday will be as follows:—
 11 a. m.—Matins, Holy Communion and Sermon.
 3 p. m.—Service at Marshalltown.
 7 p. m.—Shortened Evensong and Sacred Cantata.
 The Christmas Cantata rendered by the choir on Sunday evening last was a distinct success. Miss Marie Flemming and Mrs. Gorange made their debut as soloists. The cantata consisted of four choruses and three solos.
 Next Sunday the Christmas Cantata will include four new choruses as follows:—
 "Behold I Bring You Good Tidings"
 "The Angel's Song"—Dressler.
 "Righteousness and Peace"—Simpson.
 "Cry Out and Shout"—Simpson.
 The soloists will be Frances Phillips, Mrs. Gorange and Rev. A. E. Gabriel, who will sing "Comfort Ye" by Handel.
 A new brass altar cross has been given to All Saints' Church, Roseway.
 There will be service at Roseway on Wednesday at 7.30 p. m., weather being favourable.

Preliminary Hearing Will Be Continued Tomorrow

The preliminary examination of Raymond Winchester, charged with causing "actual bodily harm", started before Judge Taylor, on Monday, and was adjourned until tomorrow.

Masonic Night Next Tuesday

The regular communication of King Solomon Lodge, A. F. and A. M., will be held on Tuesday evening. The third degree will be conferred on two candidates. Refreshments will be served after the close.

Weymouth Baptist Sunday School Gives Concert

Instead of the regular Sunday School session at the United Baptist church, Weymouth North, on Sunday afternoon, the following programme was rendered:
 Hymn—"Hark! The Herald Angels Sing"—School.
 Scripture and Prayer—Superintendent H. M. Mullen.
 Solo—"O Little Town of Bethlehem"—Jean Doty.
 Exercise—"Magic"—Class 4.
 Poem—"We Hail Thee King of Kings"—Mrs. Wendell.
 Solo—"Once In Royal David's City"—Kathleen Fitzgerald.
 Exercise—Jean Doty and Alice Thurber.
 Story—"In the Great Wall Country"—Kathleen Fitzgerald.
 Short Address—Deacon William Lent.
 Solo—"Mrs. P. C. Amery."
 Teeth resemble verbs; they are either regular, irregular, or defective.

New Year Message

From Col. the Hon. G. S. Harrington

On the threshold of the New Year, Nova Scotia may hold a well-founded belief that 1931 will be for this Province and for Canada a year of improved economic conditions.

We should have at this time a keen appreciation of the fact that Nova Scotia has probably enjoyed during the past year relatively better times than any other part of Canada and this fact serves as the foundation for our confidence in the future, knowing as we do that Canada will be among the first countries of the world to feel the impetus of improved times.

The industrial conditions which have prevailed in Canada and other countries during 1930 have created in Nova Scotia problems similar to those which have had to be faced in other parts of this Dominion. Taken as a whole, however, our problems have been comparatively well met and although we are still faced with grave difficulties arising from unemployment and unsatisfactory markets, I believe that our combined efforts will make for substantial improvement during the coming year.

The coal mining industry of the Province has had a fair year during 1930. The main problem facing this industry is the securing of larger markets and it is my confident hope that the people of Canada will soon awake to the necessity for a National Fuel policy by which Canadian coal will be used more extensively by Canadian people. If the present unemployment crisis can make plain to Canadians that Canadian goods should have a preference in the Canadian market, the crisis will not have been an unmixed evil.

The apple industry of Nova Scotia has had a good year. The crop, while not as large as in 1929, has been of better quality and prices in the overseas markets have been well maintained.

The Mersey Paper Company, Nova Scotia's second largest industry, has been run at capacity throughout the year and it is now well established that this important industry is favourably situated not only with regard to its raw material and its power but also in respect to markets.

Although the industrial depression this year affected adversely the tourist industry throughout Canada, Nova Scotia was able to attract considerably more visitors than during any previous season. The unparalleled attractions of this Province both from a climatic and scenic point of view make it a logical holiday land and we look forward next year to attracting an even greater number of tourists.

I welcome this opportunity to convey to the readers of The Digby Weekly Courier, on behalf of the Government of Nova Scotia, cordial New Year greetings. I believe that Nova Scotians may take pride in the courage with which our Province has faced the difficulties of the past year and that we can look forward to the New Year with full confidence in our ability to retain our place as one of the most progressive provinces in this great Dominion.

I would ask all the citizens of our Province to have faith in their country and themselves.

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Personal Mention

Gerald Tupper spent Christmas at his home here.

Miss Ada Turnbull is visiting friends in Bridgetown.

Frank Jones, K. C., spent a part of last week in Bear River.

Miss Mary Lynch returned to Kintelon, Ont., this week.

A. E. Dickson went to Saint John last week to spend a few days.

Earl Winchester spent Christmas with his father, Wm. S. Winchester.

Mrs. Marguerite Theriault spent Christmas with her parents in Ashmore.

Miss Verge Winchester and brother, Paul, are spending a few days in Yarmouth.

John Budd, of Halifax, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Warner a few days last week.

Thomas Burrage, who spent a few days in Yarmouth last week, returned on Monday.

Miss Margaret Hall, of Halifax, spent Christmas with her mother, Mrs. Edgar Warner.

Vernon Bent, of Saint John, who spent Christmas with his parents returned on Saturday.

Little "Bobby" Lewis, of Bridgetown, is visiting his grandparents, Capt. and Mrs. E. Lewis.

Miss Edna Cummings, who has been visiting friends in Bear River, returned home on Tuesday.

Charles Clinton, who has been spending a week with his sisters, returned to Boston yesterday.

Miss Lois Walker, of Halifax, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Walker.

Mrs. D. Geaner and child, of Wolfville, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hersey.

R. S. Hoyt, relief agent of the D. A. H., has taken over the duties of express agent at the local station.

Mrs. (Rev.) A. E. Gabriel left for Halifax on Saturday, called there by the serious illness of her mother.

Miss Edna Tupper, of Clementsport, teacher at Waterford, Digby County, is visiting friends in Bridgetown.

Fred Prime, of the steamer Yarmouth, spent Christmas in town as guest of Capt. and Mrs. Arthur Casey.

The Misses Avril and Dorothy Smith are guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Smith, Queen street.

Rev. J. A. Appleby, of Waverly, Mass., is spending a few days in town, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. Haydon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harvey, who now reside in Yarmouth, spent Christmas in town, the guests of Mrs. L. Y. Winchester.

Frank Williams, who is attending St. Mary's College, at Halifax, spent his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Williams.

Alfred Boden, town clerk, returned on Monday from a week's trip to Toronto, during which time he spent Christmas with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Titus and son, of Moncton, have spent a part of the holidays with Mr. Titus' parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Titus.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Moreau spent the Christmas holidays in Digby, as the guests of their daughter, Mrs. H. M. Warner, and Mr. Warner.

Vincent Snow, of the Royal Bank staff, Waterville, and Carlos Connell, of the Royal Bank staff, Berwick, spent Christmas with their parents in Digby.

Messrs. Cornelius and Henry Unruh, of Nalgonda, India, students at Acadia University, are guests of Mrs. J. S. Timpany, during the Christmas vacation.

Rev. Father Kennedy, of St. Anne's College, Church Point, was the celebrant at High Mass in St. Patrick's church on Christmas eve and Christmas day.

Mac Wallis, of the Wallis Job Print, spent the week end with friends in LaHave, Lunenburg County. His sister, Miss Florence, is spending a part of this week in Truro.

Miss Mary E. Beaton, and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Irvin A. Beaton, of Brighton, Mass., arrived on Tuesday to spend a few days with the former's mother, Mrs. Mary Beaton.

John Doucette of Gloucester, Mass., arrived at Weymouth Mills last week to visit relatives and friends. They expect to return by the first of April. In the meantime Mrs. Doucette is spending the winter months with her daughter, Mrs. Benjamin J. Haley in Gloucester.

Santa Claus Has Busy Evening

Santa Claus had a busy time on Tuesday evening when he visited the Almshouse at Marshalltown, with a group of friends from the Digby Baptist Church. He distributed gifts and brought good cheer to the unfortunate in that institution.

On the same evening this jovial old chap paid a visit to the Grace United Church Sunday School, where he remembered everyone from the primary to the Bible class.

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Happy New Year If Life Is Worth Living.

An out of town concern in wishing its customers a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year, sends out the following card: Forty years ago eggs were eight cents a dozen; butter 10 cents a pound; milk was five cents a quart; the butcher gave away liver and treated the kids with bologna; the hired girl received two dollars a week and did the washing. Women concealed their ankles and did not powder and paint (in public), smoke, vote or play poker. Men wore whiskers and boots, chewed tobacco, spat on the sidewalk and cursed; beer was five cents and the day was free.

Laborers worked 16 hours a day, and never went on strike. The hat check rag was unknown. A kerosene hanging lamp and stereoscope in the parlor were luxuries. No one was ever operated on for appendicitis or had their faces revamped. Microbes were unheard of. Folks lived to a good ripe old age and every year walked miles to wish their friends a merry Christmas. Today, everybody rides in automobiles or flies; play golf, plays the piano with their feet; goes to the movies nightly; smokes cigarettes; drinks everything; blames the high cost of living on their neighbors; never goes to bed the same day they get up, and think they are having a real time. These are the days of bootlegging, high taxes, crime, speed and nerves. If you still think life is worth living, we hope you have a happy New Year.

New Year's Eve at Ocean Gardens.

"For he's a jolly good fellow" those words must have been written just especially for "Vic" MacNeill, proprietor of the Ocean Gardens "Vie" sure does know how to welcome the New Year in proper style and how to give the old year the kick in the rump that that sent it into oblivion.

Everyone who attended the New Year's eve dance reports the best time ever had in Digby. Everything was provided to make it one whole of a time, and the New Year—1931—was given a very noisy but sober welcome.

The dance broke up in the small hours of the morning. Many of those who attended are still shaking confetti out of their clothes and hair. There are others, however, who contributed to the fun and it wouldn't be just justice unless we mentioned "Bill" Keith, Ed. Webber and Archie Rutherford.

Closed His Mill to Hear Premier Bennett

As we have repeatedly pointed out business in Digby is good—nothing standing the loud talk of the alarmists who try to make us believe that we are in the depths of a business depression. Our leading manufacturing establishment, H. T. Warner's is so busy that they could not observe New Year's day, and the full staff, almost 75, was at work all day. But Mr. Warner was very desirous that his men should have the opportunity of hearing Premier Bennett speak from Calgary, but how to do it without losing too much time was quite a problem, finally he decided it in a real "Tupper Warner way." He set up a new and powerful Columbia radio in the new machine shop, closed down all departments and assembled the whole staff to listen. Probably no audience in North America or Europe enjoyed it more heartily.

Phillippe M. Comeau Dies in Yarmouth Hospital

There passed away in Yarmouth Hospital, on Christmas eve, Phillippe M. Comeau, aged 26, after two weeks' illness. Mr. Comeau had a large number of personal friends in Church Point, as well as in Weymouth, all of whom will receive the news of his passing with sincere regret. The deceased was in the employ of Mrs. Harry Hoyt, of Weymouth. He was a son of Mandie Comeau, of Church Point, and is survived by his father, two brothers, Louis Comeau, of Boston; Denis Comeau, of Digby; and two sisters, Mrs. Edmond Thibodeau, of Church Point, and Mrs. Adele Comeau, of Comeauville. The funeral took place at Church Point on the 27th, Rev. Father Drea officiating.

Digby Man Has the Contract

The Yarmouth Light says: Large quantities of cement, brick, steel and other construction material for the new Lakeside Inn, are being brought into Yarmouth by the D. A. R. Much of the lumber, part of which is placed on one side, is being supplied the contractors, delivered in Yarmouth, by a Digby man, at price considerably below those quoted by Yarmouth tenders.

The regular monthly business meeting of the Ladies' Hospital Aid will be held at the Court House on Wednesday, Jan. 7th, at 3 p. m.

When a young man falls in love with an actress he thinks his fortune is made.

Halibutter Re-Conditioned in Meteghan Yards.

Capt. William S. Murphy, of Wedgeport, is fitting the schooner Grace & Ruby, of the Lawrence Sweeney fleet, of Yarmouth, for the winter and spring halibut fisheries and it is expected that he will get away on his first trip next week. This vessel was recently on the marine railway of the Meteghan Shipbuilding Company, at Meteghan, where the craft underwent extensive repairs and painting, which put her in condition almost as good as when new.

Capt. Murphy's own schooner, the Dorothy G. Snow, formerly of Digby, is now at Yarmouth Marine Railway for extensive repairs and at present he does not expect to take the craft out before April. In the meantime the vessel, after returning to the Sweeney dock, at Yarmouth South, will receive a general overhauling.

Arrived Home After Many Years

Samuel W. Connors, a half-brother to Harry Bent, arrived home yesterday. He was a "lifer" in the Charlestown, Mass., penitentiary, to which place he was sentenced over thirty years ago, for an aggravated case of assault—but a life sentence for an assault case in a country where not one murderer in a hundred is punished for his crime, seems to be out of all proportion. He was pardoned on Christmas eve, and released on Wednesday of this week, on condition that he must return to his native place—Digby—and remain there.

Watch Night Service at Grace United Church.

On New Year's eve a watch night service was held in Grace United Church. This service was very well attended. A sermon prepared for the occasion, was preached by Rev. E. W. Forbes, pastor of the church, and special music was rendered by the choir, assisted by members of the Baptist choir. Vocal selections were given by the Male Quartette of the Baptist church, and by Mr. and Mrs. Guy E. Morehouse.

Injured By Fall Off Hay Load

L. M. Ellis, lightkeeper at Point Prim, had a narrow escape from serious injury on Tuesday. He was standing on top of a wagon load of hay in the barn, using a rope for hoisting and lost his balance when the rope parted. He fell over the side of the load, striking his head a glancing blow on the floor. His foot was also injured in the fall. While not confined to his bed, his injuries are very painful.

Tenders Accepted for County Home Supplies

The committee on tenders and public property of the municipality of Digby, accepted the following tenders for supplies for the County Home, at Marshalltown: Groceries, flour and feed, H. T. Warner; dry goods, Mrs. B. J. Roop; fire wood, Joshua Drew; physician, Dr. W. C. Harris.

Sunday Services In the United Church

11 a. m. and 7 p. m.—Digby. 3 p. m.—Bay View.

At the morning service a message on the gramophone will be given from the Moderator, Rev. E. H. Oliver, D. D. The annual covenant service will be held in the evening.

CENTRAL GROVE

Our teacher, Merle Mullen, is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mullen, New Tusket.

Mrs. Rupert Ossinger and two children, of Triverton, are visiting her sister, Mrs. Llewellyn Delaney.

Merle Bartlett, of Michellie, is the guest of Miss Melvina Small.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Finigan and daughter, Myrna, of Freeport, spent Christmas with Mrs. Finigan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Powell.

Members of the Sunday School held their concert and tree in the church, on Wednesday evening, Dec. 24th.

William Shaw, who was called to Yarmouth to see his brother who is in the hospital, returned home last week.

Mrs. Odie Guier and two grandchildren, of Triverton, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Eldry Guier this week.

Miss Margaret Tibert and Miss Amy Johnson, are spending their holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Tibert and Mr. and Mrs. Johnson.

Otis Tibert spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Bernard Bushie, at Freeport.

The regular monthly meeting of the Digby Children's Aid Society will be held in the Town Hall this evening.

As soon as the careless barber begins to scrape acquaintances he cuts them.

PLYMPTON

John Hardy, of Granville Ferry, arrived on Wednesday to spend a few days with his aunts, Miss E. A. Smith and Mrs. D. Thomas.

Mr. Crab, of Weymouth, was the Christmas guest of his mother, Mrs. Freeman Crab, who is spending the winter with Capt. Alfred Warner.

Miss E. Denton, of Smith's Cove, spent the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. B. Denton.

Gordon Potter, who is teaching at Sydney, arrived home on Monday to spend two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Potter. A brother, Carl, of the Bank of Nova Scotia, at Florenceville, N. B., was also home for Christmas.

BARTON

Karl B. B. Harris of Halifax, was a recent guest of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Harris.

Mrs. Agnes McNeill, fell Friday and injured her hand badly; with a knee, which she was carrying at the time.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Pream have returned from their visit to Yarmouth. The choir of the United Church at Weymouth, gave special music last Sunday evening at the Barton-Brighton United Church. Mrs. E. M. Ewing gave a Christmas reading.

Rev. C. Snow of Smith's Cove, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Coleman.

COULDN'T SCARE LIONS.

Uncomfortable Experience of Party While Visiting National Park.

A party of tourists, consisting of two men and their wives and a third man, had a remarkable adventure in the Kruger National Park. The party motored to No. 1 Hippo Pool, and there unloaded most of their baggage, intending to take a drive along the road towards the reserve headquarters to see the game, then return to the Hippo Pool and collect their baggage and camp for the night.

Returning to where they had left their kit, they found six lions in possession. Everything was scattered over the place, but were unable to secure the lions off. One of the lions was only a yard or so from all the foodstuffs, and refused to move.

One of the men fired several times into the air without result. Then he aimed at a tree beside a big male. As the bullet struck the tree the lion roared and his head to see what it was, otherwise it did not move. After a while the party decided to return to the police picket at Dorpspan, where they found a native boy and returned with him to the camp. The lions were still in possession chewing up a suitcase. A patrol force with a piece of macking was thrown among the lions. This had the desired effect and they retreated a little way, enabling the tourists to collect a certain amount of their food and remnants of blankets, suitcase, clothing, etc., with an audience of six lions not more than twenty yards away. The party returned to Dorpspan and spent the night at the police picket.

These lions are all over the park and have learned in three years that the motor car is not an enemy, therefore they are not afraid of it. The board of trustees and the warden do not approve of tourists camping out away from the proper resting place.

GOOD-BYE, WATER GYPSIES.

Motor-Boats to Take Place of Horse-Drawn Barges on Canal.

Canal motor-boats are shortly to take the place of the old horse-drawn barges on the Grand Union Canal system, which flows up to East End of London with Birmingham, says an English newspaper. The motor-boats are now being built, and the canal, are being dredged and widened and their embankments strengthened.

This scheme involves the disappearance, not only of the picturesque old barges, but also of the sturdy folk who have made them their home for generations, and who are being driven to London in a race apart—the "water gypsies," as one modern novelist has called them.

Under the new scheme, the men who run the motor-boats won't require to live on them, as journeys will be much more quickly accomplished. So they will have a snug home for themselves on land.

About 500 families, with 1,700 children, now live on barges. A floating school has recently been provided to facilitate the education of the children.

If the new system is in line with the practice in other lands, horse-drawn barges are now rare on the world's canals.

WILL ADAMS.

The First British Subject to Settle in Japan.

At present an effort is being made by the people of Gillingham, Kent, England, to raise funds for the erection of a memorial to one of her illustrious sons, that is, a pioneer and romantic seaman, Will Adams.

Pilot Major William Adams was the first British subject to settle in Japan. He "discovered" the great Japanese Empire, and was befriended by the emperor then reigning. He died in 1655, and a tombstone on a lovely hill near a suburb of the busy seaport of Yokohama, commemorates his death.

If one of the tomb there would be found fresh flowers and other offerings to his godhead, for he has long since been admitted into the select membership of the Japanese Pantheon. A street is named after him in Yedo.

Some Japanese have expressed wonder that this great man's memory has not been perpetuated long ere this by his own people. Men of Kent and Gillingham and over the world will favor the erection of a worthy memorial to such a romantic and sturdy pioneer of British seamanship and enterprise.

As soon as the careless barber begins to scrape acquaintances he cuts them.

LITTLE RIVER

Miss Florence Collins, teacher at Brookfield, and Elsie Collins, teacher at Mount Pleasant, are spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bowman Collins.

Miss Kathleen Denton, teacher at Marshalltown, is spending the vacation with her mother, Mrs. Martha Denton.

Mrs. Allie Denton, of Boston, arrived home Tuesday to spend a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. Martha Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Denton, who have been in Toronto for the last two years, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Denton, during the Christmas season.

The Sewing Circle held a sale in the hall on the Saturday before Christmas.

Miss Georgiana Denton is spending the Christmas holidays with her

How many pounds of Morse's Selected Orange Pekoe Tea were taken home by American tourists this season? The figures are not obtainable, but there is no doubt the quantity was larger than in any previous year.

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3 pkgs. Corn Flakes	25c	2 pkgs. Potato Flour	25c
2 pkgs. Shredded Wheat	25c	2 Tins Sliced Pineapple	25c
5 pkgs. Horne's Jelly		2 Tins Aylmer's Tomato Soup	22c
Powders	25c	2 Tins Aylmer's Vegetable Soup	22c
2 pkgs. Quaker Crackles	25c	2 pkgs. Ready Cut Macaroni	25c
2 pkgs. Ready Cut Macaroni	25c	Lge Bot. Aylmer Ketchup	25c
3 lbs. New Prunes	25c	3 lbs. Shortening	47c
1 pkg. Cake Flour	25c	3 lbs. Rice	25c
4 lbs. Yellow Eye Beans	25c	3 lbs. New Dates	25c

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DEEP BROOK

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Adams entertained Mrs. S. E. Barry, Mr. and Mrs. Parker and other friends from Cranville, for New Year's dinner.

Mrs. Aubrey Sanford with three children, Freeman, Jean and Ralph, of Turbrook, spent New Year's week guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Berry.

Mrs. John Bancroft and son, who have been spending a week, guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McClelland, returned to Round Hill on Saturday.

Miss Ethel Purdy left here on Monday to take up her work as principal of the Freeport school.

Miss Lillian Adams is teaching here for a few days until Miss Speights returns from Boston, where she has been for the Christmas vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis B. Wright and son, Millard, left on Wednesday for Wolfville.

Miss Ada Rice is spending the winter the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Dittmar.

Educational Broadcasting

WIN Start Tonight

The first educational broadcasting for 1931 will be given by the Department of Education over CHNS tonight, between 2 and 4 p. m.

Schools are invited to submit questions each week to the school club which broadcasts the discussion of Current Events. Similar clubs may well be organized in other schools.

The programme will be as follows:

- 2.00-2.05—Announcements.
- 2.05-2.10—Musical Selection.
- 2.10-2.25—Nature Study Talk by Mr. Charles Allen, B. Sc.
- 2.25-2.35—Musical Selection.
- 2.35-2.50—Talk on R. L. Stevenson and his Books, Mr. G. J. Marvin, B. A.
- 2.50-2.55—Musical Selection.
- 2.55-3.10—"Winter Poetry" by Mr. H. R. Shinner.
- 3.10-3.20—Musical Selection.
- 3.20-3.35—Current Events, discussed by the World To-day, Club of Bloomfield High School, under the direction of Mr. A. W. Cunningham.
- 3.35-3.40—Musical Selection.
- 3.40-3.55—Lesson on French Pronunciation by Mr. F. L. E. Muschamps, Instructor in Modern Languages, Halifax Academy.
- 3.55-4.00—Musical Selection.

"God Save the King"

Teachers are urged to make as full use of these broadcast programmes as possible and to report their success or failure to the Education Office.

The "Gold Diggers"

Drew Good Houses

A picture to draw a capacity house three nights in succession in a town the size of Digby must be exceptionally good. But this is what happened last week when "The Gold Diggers of Broadway" was shown in the Bijou Theatre. It was a colored "talkie" picture and the colour effects were excellent. Quite a number saw it each time and very many more saw it twice—and it was worth seeing twice.

Hospital Aid

Expresses Thanks

We wish to thank the Sea Breeze Junior Red Cross, of Brighton, for the donation of books and toys which they sent to the hospital.

Trinity Choir Renders Sacred Cantata

A second and new Christmas Cantata was rendered in Trinity Church on Sunday evening last, in a most effective manner, beginning with Handel's introductory solo, "Comfort Ye", and ending in the angel song, "Behold I Bring You Good Tidings", by Caleb Simpler.

"The Angel's Song" was sung by Frances Phillips, whose clear resonant tones, carried one in imagination back to the first Christmas Morn.

Mrs. Gorange, contralto, was the soloist in the chorus "Arise Shine, Thy Light is Come", by Caleb Simpler. Mrs. Gorange shows good English training, singing, with marked precision and well rounded voice production.

Perhaps the most pleasing surprise of the Cantata, was the singing of a duet by Mrs. David Daley and Marie Flemming, their voices blending so well that the entire congregation thought the number was a solo. Digby is to be congratulated on having such talent, it only remains for those possessing singing qualities to make use of every opportunity of developing their voices and thus increase their attractiveness in personality.

By special request, some numbers selected from the two Christmas Cantatas, will be sung in Trinity on Sunday evening, Jan. 11th.

The services on Sunday next will be as follows:

- 8 a. m.—Holy Communion.
- 11 a. m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon.
- 3 p. m.—Evensong at Marshalltown.
- 7 p. m.—Evening Prayer and Sermon.

The newly formed Bible Class will meet for the first time on Sunday, at 12 noon, in the Parish Hall. All young people are cordially invited. Badminton and other social evenings will form the week-day activities of this class which is under the direction of Miss Kate Tobin.

St George Lodge

Installs Officers

The following officers of St. George Lodge, No. 55, I. O. O. F., Digby, were installed by A. A. Shortliffe, D. D. G. M., last Friday evening:

- N. G.—B. R. Fleet
- V. G.—R. L. Marshall
- R. S.—A. R. Turnbull
- F. S.—A. J. Dillon
- Treas.—A. A. Shortliffe
- Warden—Harry Turnbull
- Con.—J. J. Wallis
- Chap.—G. A. Donnelly
- R. S. N. G.—B. H. Ruggles
- L. S. N. G.—R. L. Dunn
- R. S. V. G.—W. S. Winchester
- L. S. V. G.—J. D. Appleby
- R. S. S.—H. B. Marshall
- L. S. S.—Harold VanTassel
- O. G.—Milton Turnbull
- O. G.—R. L. Holdsworth

On New Year's night Jean and Earle Anderson gave a most unique and surprising party at their home. All the guests arrived, dressed in little boy and girl clothes. The fancy dress prize was won by Miss Louise Cossaboon. There was dancing, and games, and everybody declared that it was a most enjoyable evening.

H. M. Warne left on Thursday for New York and St. Louis, to visit the Motor Shows in those cities.

Get Set For Banff Carnival



The stand-out week in the west this winter will be February 7-14 when the Banff Winter Sports Carnival will be held. Parade of skiers, ski-jorers, snowshoers, curlers, hockey, tobogganning, and every variety of winter sport, the evening year. Lay-out shows skiers in action under the shadow of the mountains with loads of setting in the heat of the Rockies, clothed in their winter dress of ermine beneath a sky of turquoise. The pretty little town of Banff is lit from end to end in a blaze of colored lights with, here and there, the

Smith's Cove Wins

Over Deep Brook

The Smith's Cove hockey team went to Deep Brook Friday afternoon and played with the Deep Brook team, winning 4-2. The ice was poor, but the game was clean and interesting.

The line up: Deep Brook—Goal, Wilfred Masters; defence, Robert Spurr, Marshall Rice; centre, Walter Dittmar; wings, Aubrey Adams, Edw. Claybourne; subs, Eric Adams.

Smith's Cove—G. G. A. Stanley Smith; defence, Donald Cossaboon, Earl Cossaboon; centre, Douglas Cossaboon; wings, Harold Smith, Frank Wightman; subs, Robert Smith, Austin Payton, Richard Turnbull.

Referee, Oakley Smith.

Little River Baptist Church Meeting

A goodly number were present at the annual business meeting of the Baptist Church. Before the usual business session, Rev. Dimock, of the Centreville Church, gave a discourse on "The King's Business", and very successful reports were given in connection with the different activities of the church. In spite of the prevalent business depression the reports were better than last year's, and all those present felt that there was much, indeed, to be thankful for.

ACACIAVILLE

Miss Wills Perkins, teacher at Port Wad, was the guest last week of her friend, Miss Susie DeLong.

Miss Margaret Goldsmith, R. N., who has been visiting her parents for several weeks, returned to Saint John on Monday.

Basil Porter returned to Truro on Monday, to finish his course at the Agricultural School.

Quite a number of the young folks were entertained at the home of Jack Keen, Digby, on New Year's night.

The Sunday School gave a very fine Christmas concert on Sunday last. Much credit is given to all who took part in it, and those who trained them. A good beginning for the New Year. Why not make it a banner year for attendance?

Native Of Digby Co.

Dies At Lynn, Mass.

Word has been received of the death of Stewart McGrath, at his home in Lynn, Mass., of heart failure, on Saturday evening, Dec. 27. Mr. McGrath was well and favourably known here, and is survived by his wife, who was Miss Myrtle Bell, of Acadiaville, and two sons, Hamilton and Lloyd, and one daughter, Mrs. F. J. Clark, of Lynn; also his father, Charles McGrath, of Lynn; four brothers, Oscar, of Lynn; Fred and William, of Troy, N. H.; Harry, of Beverly; and two sisters, Mrs. Frank Hughes, of Beverly; and Miss Mary McGrath, a nurse, of Kentville. The deceased was for years a departmental foreman with the General Electric Co., of Lynn, Mass. Ross C. Smallie, of Digby, and Samuel McGrath, of Victoria Beach, are uncles.

Fishing Boat Built

In Salmon River

Estella L. is the name of a fine new fishing boat which Percy G. Leander, of Sanford, Yarmouth Co., has just received fresh from the hands of that widely known builder, Joseph Deveau, of Salmon River, Digby County. The craft measures forty feet in length, by 10½ wide, and is very substantially constructed of hard and soft woods. The Estella L. is also prettily finished with hard wood and makes one of the finest fishing boats to be found on the coast. The boat is to be fitted with 25-hp Acadia motor, and Mr. Leander will have his craft ready in time for the opening of the rapidly approaching lobster season.

1870 it will be recalled, was the year of the Franco-Prussian war and the downfall of Napoleon III. But it was also the year of another important event. In 1870 Morse's Teas became the standard for quality among Canadian tea consumers, a position they have held ever since.

Freeport Bible Class

Holds Service

The Men's Bible Class had a service in place of the regular service Sunday evening, Jan. 4. Special music was rendered by the men's choir, which was enjoyed by all present. Two male quartettes were special features.

Freeport Sunday School

Gives Concert

The Sunday School gave a concert and had their annual Christmas Tree on Christmas Eve. After the programme, Santa Claus came and for a time was quite busy giving candy to the children and distributing gifts that had been left on the tree.

Sunday, Dec. 28, not being an extra fine day, the C. G. I. T. Group postponed putting on their pageant until New Year's day, when this pageant was presented. Proceeds from the pageant, "The Angels Message to the World", amounted to \$5.91, which will be used to help buy window shades for the church vestry.

Fined Five Dollars

and Costs

Edward Comeau and Hanford Melanson, both of Plympton, were arraigned before Stipendiary Magistrate B. Haver, in the local Police Court on Tuesday morning. Comeau was charged with being drunk and interfering with the police. Melanson was charged with drunkenness. Both men pleaded "Guilty." They were given a warning and fined five dollars and costs.

Annual Meeting Of

Victorian Order

The annual meeting of the Digby Branch of the Victorian Order of Nurses for Canada, will be held on Friday evening next, beginning at 8.15 o'clock, in the Court House. Everyone who is interested in the work is cordially invited to attend.

The monthly meeting of the local branch will be held on Tuesday afternoon, next, at three o'clock in the Court House.

Hospital Benefit

Bridge Soon

Kindly reserve Thursday, January 22, for the Hospital Benefit Bridge, at the Court House. Further advertisements will appear later.

Gordon Potter of the Sydney, N.S., teaching staff, who has been spending Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Potter, Plympton, has returned to Sydney.

Married In

Lawrencetown

At the United Church Parsonage, Lawrencetown, on Wednesday evening, Dec. 24th, at 8:30 o'clock, Burton Roscoe Fleet, of Digby, and Eva Henrietta, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Banks, of West Ingleville, were united in holy bonds of matrimony, by Rev. A. S. Adams, in the presence of immediate relatives.

The bride was daintily attired in a gown of blue and silver shot taffeta, with corsage bouquet. After the ceremony the bride and groom returned to the bride's home to spend Christmas, after which they went on a short honeymoon to Brookfield, Col. Co., and Halifax. After their return a reception was held at the bride's home on Tuesday evening, Dec. 30th, 1930. The bride was the recipient of many gifts including silver, china, linen and money.

She is a graduate of the Grace Hospital in Halifax, and the groom is a popular young man of Digby. Mr. and Mrs. Fleet will reside in Digby.

Former Bear River Girl

Married In Fall River

Rev. Gerald E. Richter, pastor of the Pilgrim Congregational Church, Fall River, officiated at the wedding of Miss Alda Benson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Benson, 780 Plymouth Avenue, Fall River, and Albert Le Baron, of Boston, which took place on New Year's Eve, at the home of the bride.

Miss Bernice Jordan attended the bride and Robert Estes was best man.

The bride wore a creation of midnight blue, and her attendant was dressed in pale blue.

Guests were present from Boston, Providence, Newport and Fall River.

SMITH'S COVE

Mr. and Mrs. Loran Adams, of Deep Brook, and daughter, Mrs. Willis Rice, of Middleton, were in this village on Sunday.

Mrs. M. D. Woodman, of Kentville, spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Woodman, last week.

Hubert Outhouse, who has been spending the past month with his daughter, Mrs. Walter Outhouse, and Mr. Outhouse, returned to Truro on Sunday.

Miss Marion Beals returned to Berwick on Saturday last.

Miss Elizabeth Brooks returned to Weymouth on Monday, after spending a few days with her grandparents, Capt. and Mrs. Robt. Austin.

Mrs. E. B. Taylor left for Halifax last Wednesday, where she will spend the winter.

A. D. Sully made a business trip to Saint John last week.

Miss Goldie May Coslett, of the Digby General Hospital staff, spent New Year's day with her mother, Mrs. Lena Coslett.

Herbert Woodman is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Sully and Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Sully were the guests on Sunday of Mrs. Lena M. Coslett.

Rev. and Mrs. Habel were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cornwall, recently.

Mrs. Lena Coslett and Mrs. Della Johns are spending the week-end with friends in Grandville Ferry.

Miss Mary E. Beaton and Mrs. Irving A. Beaton, who have been visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Mary Beaton, return to Brighton, Mass., today.

Miss Catherine Morgan spent New Year's day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Morgan; also Dwight Morgan was a guest at the same home.

Miss Kathleen Graham returned this week to Acadia.

PARKER'S COVE

There will be service in the United Church on Sunday, at 3 o'clock, by the Rev. G. W. Bryant.

Joseph Rice has gone to Kentville for an indefinite time, as cook in one of the lumber camps.

A goodly number of our friends who were away, came home and spent the holiday season. The greater part of them have returned to their respective places.

Miss Marjorie Halliday visited her sister, Miss Earl Forney and Mr. Forney, in Lequille, over the week-end.

The Misses Myrtle McGarvie and Bernice Rice are spending the winter with their parents.

Miss Vera McGarvie and Mrs. Raymond have returned to their school in Annapolis Royal.

The fishing season looks as if it was nearing the end. The weather is not very good and the men are now busy getting firewood and some are getting pulp for R. R. Hayden.

Capt. Eugene and Mrs. Coats, of Hillsburn, were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Anderson.

Claude Milner spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hudson, in Hillsburn.

Miss Sadie Hamilton, of Litchfield, and Ella Hudson, of Hillsburn, were recent guests of Mrs. David Milner.

School reopened on Monday with a good attendance.

FREEPORT

Miss Maye Thurber was home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Thurber, for Christmas.

Ralph Perry and Scott Perry are home again.

Douglas Lent spent his holidays at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Lent.

Herbert Titus spent Christmas with his parents, coming from Halifax on Wednesday, Dec. 24, and returning Saturday, the 27th.

Friends who have been home for the holidays have returned. Tuesday, Jan. 6, last, Thurber, Florida Crocker, Eleanor Stevens, Eric Titus and Ronald Thurber returned to their respective colleges at Truro and Wolfville.

Frank Moore spent Christmas at his daughter's, Mrs. Elmer Bates, and returned to Saint John, Monday, Dec. 29.

Percy Stevens spent Christmas at his home.

B. S. Morrell went to Digby Wednesday, Dec. 31, thence to Saint John, returning Saturday, Jan. 3.

Miss Goldie Stevens spent the holidays at home.

On New Year's Eve a watch service was held in the First United Baptist Church, solemnly observed by the number present.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Stevens spent a few days last week at Centfall Grove.

MORGANVILLE

Mrs. Clarence Morgan has gone to Bear River for an indefinite time.

C. E. Clarke has returned to Truro to resume his work.

Clarence and Charles Morgan are working in the employ of J. H. Cunningham for the winter months.

Mrs. Rachel Shell spent New Year's day with her brother, Jacob Morgan.

Miss Catherine Morgan spent New Year's day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Morgan; also Dwight Morgan was a guest at the same home.

Miss Kathleen Graham returned this week to Acadia.

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HARD UP!

If there is one tune which is over-sung nowadays, it is that a phrase which is over-used is that almost poetical reference to being hard up.

The war cured people of reticence about their financial affairs; but sometimes we feel it would be rather nice to be back in an age when scorned to discuss the ins and outs of housekeeping and dress allowance, domestic expenses, and the high price of everything.

People talk a lot about money nowadays, and mostly about the lack of it—that they hardly know when they do talk about it. It is, in fact, a positive mania. They can't afford this. They can't afford that. And if you can't remark on it in a voice not unclouded with envy.

People, for some reason or other, do not like you to think they have money, even if they give the appearance of having it.

Your ordinary person who buys a car, especially if it is at all expensive looking, hastens to assure you why he is doing it—there is always some very good reason!—and how, by dint of much trouble and sacrifice, he managed to collect the money. We all know that most things worth having are worth waiting for, but why make a song about the waiting and waiting?

The instinct to safeguard ourselves in this fashion may be due to the fact that now, as ever, there are plenty of people who are prepared to sponge on the generosity of others.

Nevertheless, it shows a man to be somewhat suspicious of his fellow-men. It is, of course, understandable in someone who has worked hard for his money, values it, and does not wish to spend it unwisely; but so frequently such suspicious people go round suspecting indiscriminately.

The ordinary man of today is very frightened of people thinking he has money. So he goes round telling everybody how hard up he is, how heavy his expenses are, how his car has ceased to be a pleasure, how his house is a drain on his resources, and how he must go to Florida or California on business!

It all sounds very dreary. It is a pity he has not the courage of his convictions. After all, actions speak louder than words. What does he think his friends expect of him, anyway? He probably entertains them well when they go to his house, just as they try to entertain him; but they would not demand champagne as their right because he had spent the winter in the South.

Most people, after all, are prepared to spend more on themselves than on other people. We might as well be honest about it, and there is certainly no need to apologize for such a weakness, or keep on saying you are hard up because you have spent a little money.

You can't have your cake and eat it, too! We all know that. Yet today people must keep telling you that they have neither had their cake nor eaten it, and it makes such monotonous hearing.

The best of it is nobody appears to be as hard up as their fatners and mothers used to be. And they always kept quiet about it!

DOMESTIC BULL MOST DANGEROUS ANIMAL

In view of the recent fatality at Carribo Island the following item from an exchange will be of particular interest:

Nat McCowan, well-known naturalist of Banff, Alta., who has played around with the so-called wild life of the Rocky Mountains and knows his grizzlies, stated in a recent lecture that of all the animals that are found in this dominion, the most dangerous of all is the domestic bull. We have heard the same statement made previously by another authority on birds and animals, Jack Miner. These two men should know what they are talking about. Yet how much carelessness we see in the handling of bulls. Every little while the death of some cattleman is reported in the daily press as a sequence to some carelessness in the handling of one of these animals. Jack Miner is authority for the statement that more men have been killed by bulls in the history of this country than by wild animals combined.

Compared with other countries for which figures are available, England and Wales are the most densely populated, with an average of 619 persons to every square mile.

BRAINS AND BEAUTY

A Genius May Be Good Looking But His Face Never Balances

Can genius be detected in the features? Is the face of a genius different from that of other men—short, has the superior brain an unmistakable hall-mark?

Science has been seeking the answer to these questions for a long time. They are not yet entirely answered.

The face is controlled by the facial muscles, and those muscles are controlled, in turn, by the thought processes of the individual. Hence, the melancholy mad develops an expression of unhappiness, while the face of the jovial fellow is creased with a network of good-humored lines.

Is, then, the face of the genius affected by his superlative talents? Does a beautiful mind produce a beautiful face?

It would seem not. Socrates, a great philosopher, was a very ugly little man, and Abraham Lincoln was tall, gaunt, and course featured. Shelley, however, was beautiful, and Byron was exceedingly handsome, as was ill-starred Rupert Brooke.

Prove It For Yourself
Science, then has come to the conclusion that good looks have nothing to do with the matter. But it suggests that the faces of geniuses are not the same on both sides.

An interesting test may be made by anyone. Take a full-face photograph of some distinguished man of undoubted genius and cover half of it vertically, compare each half, and it will be seen that there are really two distinct faces.

This strange peculiarity of the face of genius is very marked in many great men. You can note it in any photograph of George Bernard Shaw and the same thing is observed in the case of Thomas Hardy, the great writer; Sir Ray Lankester, the scientist, and other great men.

Why is this? A clue is given by an understanding of the brain controls of the human being. It is the left side of the brain which controls the right side of the body and vice versa. The question arises, then are geniuses men with abnormal left or right brains?

Stranger stories are told of these relics of old Egypt. They may bring disaster, or even good luck in love affairs.

Some people will believe any story about a mummy, and the opening of Tut-ank-Amen's tomb has been made responsible for all sorts of happenings which could not possibly have any connection with it.

Mr. Howard Carter has made caustic remarks to make on this in the second volume of "The Tomb of Tut-ank-Amen," which has just been published by Messrs. Cassell. He laughs at the idea that "mysterious forces, called into being by some malefic power," were present in the tomb "to take vengeance on whomsoever should dare to pass its portals."

As a matter of fact, he says that "there was, perhaps, a place in the world free from risks than the tomb. When it was opened, scientific research proved it to be sterile."

The idea that a curse may rest on all who disturb a mummy, even after the lapse of thousands of years, is an old one and has inspired more than one thrilling story. When we come to the realm of fact, as distinct from fiction, however, the most we can find is a curious coincidence or two.

Even the famous mummy in the British Museum, which is said to have brought disaster to all who had anything to do with it, has perhaps been somewhat overrated. Possibly many of the stories told about it have no better foundation than the one circulated after the Titanic disaster.

On the Doomed Linc
It was said that the mummy had been secretly sold to an American collector, who sailed for home with his prize on the doomed liner. Unfortunately for a picturesque yarn, the mummy is not at the bottom of the Atlantic—it is still part of the property of the nation.

What is the explanation of the uncanny influence of some mummies? It is occasionally ascribed to a mystic curse engraved on the tomb, and directed against anyone who might disturb its occupant. A still stranger theory is held by some people. They believe—as the ancient Egyptians themselves seem to have done—that some of the old mummies have a sinister sort of half life, like the vampires in Bram Stoker's "Dracula," a stage version of which is now running in London.

Power for good as well as for evil is sometimes attributed to the tombs and mummies of the old Egyptians. Among the many visitors to the tomb of Tut-ank-Amen were some native Egyptian ladies. They came because they thought it was lucky—it would make them happy in marriage.

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BRITISH WORK TO STOP, NOT TO FINISH, CRIME

London's crime record is far cleaner than that of Detroit or any other large American city because the British people face prevention of crime before its punishment. Sir Hugh Turnbull, London police commissioner, said recently:

Sir Hugh gave, in addition, the following reasons why the streets of London are far safer than those of Detroit:

1. Because England has fewer laws and those are strictly enforced.
2. Because the financial status of the offender is allowed to have no bearing on punishment.
3. Because a social disapproval of law breaking exists in England and crime is not fashionable.
4. There is no prohibition law in England.
5. Police are easy on first offenders and very severe on habitual criminals.
6. Because the British police work to keep people out of jail rather than put them in.

For these reasons, the British police chief said, London, with its huge population, had not one homicide last year, compared with Detroit's scores of murders.

Sir Hugh visited and inspected the Detroit police department and praised its efficiency in the actual detection of crime. He was particularly interested in the city police radio, which broadcasts orders to roving scout cars. He predicted that radio will be used internationally as a police weapon in future years.

DANCING OR DYING INDIANS MUST HAVE PLENTY OF MUSIC

Whether dancing or dying, playing or praying, the Indians consider music an essential accompaniment.

The musical instruments of the Canadian Indians may be divided into four distinct groups: two percussion instruments, drums and rattles; and two wind instruments, whistles and flute, and nearly all the tribes in Canada make use of all types, except the flutes, which are found only among the Iroquois and their neighbors. The Eskimo make use of drums only, a surprising fact in view of the remarkably high quality of their vocal music.

There is no tribe in Canada which does not make use of drums of some kind or another whether it be in the huge box drum of the Tsimshian Indians of the Pacific coast, or the thin parchment like drum of the Eskimo. Nearly all of them are single headed, though double headed drums are used occasionally.

Music is not only to be considered as an amusement but rather as an effective manner of increasing the



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COST OF 60,000-TON LINER IS ESTIMATED AT THIRTY MILLION

Will Have Immediate Effect On 200,000 Workmen—Insurance, Graving Dock Assured

By the Canadian Press
Messrs. John Brown and Company, great Clydebank shipbuilding firm, are actively going ahead with construction of the giant new liner for the Cunard Company, to cost about \$30,000,000. The contract was signed recently after the steamship company was assured that the Southern Railway would build at Southampton a graving dock able to accommodate the mammoth liner. The British Government is taking a portion of the vast amount of insurance necessary.

The building of the 60,000-ton vessel will have an immediate effect on more than 300,000 workmen in many trades throughout the world, points out the Manchester Guardian's special correspondent. Almost every industry in that country will be able to employ more men during the two or three years which will be occupied in building and furnishing the largest ship in the world.

Provides Huge Orders
Marble will be imported from Italy and Norway to be shaped into decorative pillars, floors, swimming baths, ordinary baths, and lamp fittings. Something like 300,000 pieces of silverware and 60,000 pieces of cutlery will be required, and there will be more than 200,000 pieces of earthenware, china, glass, and other vessels.

The largest order will probably be given to the electricity industry, and something like 100 miles of cables will be threaded through the vessel. The ventilation system, run by electric power, will be very elaborate and every cabin will be so fitted with ventilation power that filtered air, warm, medium or ice cold can be turned on at a moment's notice.

There will be rooms in the Adams style, Chippendale, Louis XVth, Renaissance, and Georgian, and the furniture will be original in almost every respect.

May Build Sister Ship

About 20 wireless operators using separate wireless installations will also be used to deal with messages. Ships will also be provided on the promenade decks, and the tailoring industry will be called in to provide uniforms for the crew of 1,200.

It is computed that at least \$15,000,000 will be distributed for the building of the ship among the traders of the world. The other \$15,000,000 will be wanted for the building of the hull. The keel plates have already been laid and some of the hull plates have been cut and are now waiting to be placed together.

Now that the building of the ship has at last been definitely decided upon, the directors of the Cunard Line will doubtless consider whether a contract for the construction of a second ship shall be given out.

Whether the second ship will be a sister vessel has not yet been announced, but the Cunard Company have on previous occasions favored the building of sister ships. There is much economy in this method as articles can easily be duplicated. Both Newcastle and Birkenhead have urged their claims, and there is much unemployment among shipyard workers in both places.

Impressiveness of the ceremony which it accompanied. Much care was expended on the making of instruments, the most suitable material being selected and the best of workmanship being expended on them.

Rattles, too, are widely used. They are composed of various materials, such as shed beaks of puffins, deer's hooves, peetin shells, bones, turtle shells, gourds and baskets. The whistles were often said to represent the voice of spirits and some of them were made so small that they could be concealed in the mouth of the performer making it appear that he was not responsible for the sound of the whistle.

Flutes were often used by young men in courting and serenading young women but were occasionally used as an alarm; a man would walk about the village playing the flute in an unusual way so as to put the people on the alert without arousing the suspicion of the enemy concealed nearby. The flute was the only instrument which was capable of producing a series of different tones. This was done by the use of the finger holes, but examination of the flutes show that the spacing of the holes is purely decorative with the result that it is not possible to produce a true scale.

Motor cars have a longer history than most people imagine. The first passenger carrying "car" was tested in Cornwall, England, in 1800, and reached a "speed" of eight miles an hour.

Digby County Girl Married in Carleton

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank McGray was the scene of a very pretty wedding, on New Year's Eve, when Miss Mary Esther Lewis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Loran Lewis, of Danvers, became the bride of Cecil Irwin Clements, brother of Mrs. McGray, and only surviving son of Mr. and Mrs. Elkanah Clements, of Carleton. The house was festive with Christmas trimmings, while the arch of green with white bells formed an attractive bower under which the ceremony was performed by Rev. G. C. Durkee, pastor of the United Baptist Church. To the strains of the wedding march played by Mrs. S. H. Miller, the bride looked very pretty in a gown of pale blue tulle, with silver trimmings, wearing a bandeau of silver and orange blossoms. She was attended by Miss Lottie Clements, sister of the groom, who was dressed in pink crepe, while Nathaniel Nickerson, of Carleton, supported the groom. The single ring service was used. About forty relatives and friends were present, among them being the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Vidito Mullen, and uncle, Bradford Mullen, of Springfield. A reception was held, and lunch served by friends of the bride. She was the guest of honor at a recent shower, and the many wedding gifts of silver, linen and china expressed the good wishes of their many friends. For the past two years the bride has been employed in Carleton, and will be welcomed as a permanent resident.

Week of Prayer Observed By Weymouth Churches

The Week of Prayer is being observed in the churches at Weymouth as follows: Monday and Tuesday evenings in the United Church, the speaker Rev. F. C. Amery; Wednesday and Thursday in the Baptist Church, the speaker Rev. E. M. Ewing; Friday in the Guild Hall, the speaker Rev. F. C. Amery.

Use the Classified Advt. Column.

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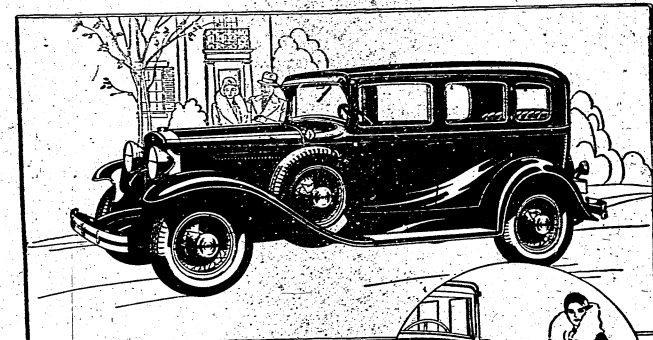
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NEW TUSKET

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Gaudet on the birth of a daughter, Dec. 25, 1930.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Sabine and family visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Sabine, of Weymouth, on Saturday.

Miss Nellie Lewis returned to her school at Harlem, and Miss Bessie Mullen to Hassetts, after spending their vacations at their homes here.

Miss Lucy Mullen has returned to her school at Argyle and Merle Mullen to his school in Central Grove, after spending their vacations with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Mullen.

Gordon Prime returned to his work in Wolfville, on Monday, after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Prime.

H. T. Munroe, of Milton, Mass., spent Thursday and Friday of last week with his friend, Miss Bessie Sabean.

Miss Fannie Mullen spent the holidays with friends in Bear River.

Miss McCullough went to Riverdale recently, where she plans to spend the remainder of the winter.

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MOUNT PLEASANT

Our teacher, Miss Elsa Collins, has returned from Little River, and taken up her duties.

Elliott VanTassel and sister, Mary, spent the week-end in Culloden, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Newton Ross.

Frank Scragg, of Greenland, spent the Christmas holidays with his daughter, Mrs. Fred Daley, and Mr. Daley.

Miss Faye Handspiker, of Culloden, spent one day last week with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar VanTassel.

Burton Fleet and his bride have returned home from their wedding trip.

Miss Dorothy VanTassel has returned to Hebron to take up her duties as teacher.

Mrs. John Gabe, of Marshalltown, called on her sister, Mrs. James Handspiker, one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Jefferson and baby, Reta, spent a few days at Victoria Beach, with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Everett.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Charlie VanTassel on the arrival of a daughter, Dec. 10, 1930.

Mrs. Orinda Farnsworth spent the Christmas season with her daughter, Mrs. Ben. Seeley, at Marshalltown.

New Tuskett School
Gives Concert

A very interesting concert was given by the New Tuskett school recently, under the auspices of the teacher, Mrs. F. B. Mullen.

The programme was as follows:

Chorus—"The Bells Peal Their Welcome"

Exercise—"Merry Christmas"

Dialogue—"Mother Decides"

Recitation—"Hildegard"

Indian Drill

Dialogue—"Mixed Numbers"

Playette

Chorus—"His Glory is Sung"

Exercise—"Mother Goose"

Dialogue—"A Matrimonial Advertisement"

Recitation—"The Stolen Custard"

Garland Drill

Recitation—"Santa and the Mouse"

Dialogue—"Bridget Makes a Mistake"

Song—"Merry Christmas, Santa"

Tableau—"Before and After"

Recitation—"What Christmas Means to Me"

Dialogue—"The Hat Shop"

Chorus—"The Sleight Ride"

Pantomime—"Oh, Little Town of Bethlehem"

Chorus—"Merry Christmas"

National Anthem

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FIGHTING THURBER.

Enclosed in *Wagler Stage Dis* is a link in the mosquito's life cycle that offers a new method of fighting the pest has been found at Cornell University, says an Associated Press dispatch. In the wiggler stage, where all mosquitoes breed, they can be killed by oxygen—ordinarily the indispensable need of all living things.

Discovery of this unexpected weakness came from observing a woodland stream near Cornell, in which a year after year no mosquitoes bred.

The mosquito-free pool contained a graceful, bottom-growing water plant named chara, and the post-in-fested pools contained no chara.

Studying this plant, Dr. Robt. Matheeson, professor of entomology, and R. H. Housner found it gave out continuously minute bubbles of oxygen.

Female mosquitoes appeared averse to laying eggs in the chara pool, and when they did so they died or were removed. Mosquitoes flocked there and multiplied. This convinced the scientists that the oxygen bubbles in the water filled with tiny oxygen bubbles.

They set up a row of glass jars filled with water, half of them connected to an oxygen tank and the other half without the connection. In all the jars they placed foods on which wigglers thrive.

The put fifty freshly hatched wigglers into each jar. In a few days those in the oxygenless jars emerged as mosquitoes, but every wiggler died in the water filled with tiny oxygen bubbles.

Time after time the death rate from oxygen was 100 per cent. The wigglers were about the same size as those produced by chara, and the deaths resulted in the same length of time as in chara pools.

Dr. Matheeson says that the larvae, being voracious eaters, swallow everything, including the oxygen bubbles. He has not determined whether the oxygen kills, but offers the theory that the excessive amount has a deleterious effect upon digestion, or that it affects the food supply so the wigglers starve to death.

PRINCIPLE GIVERS.

Fortunes Used to Make Things Better for the "Bottom Dog."

"It's a fine idea, but a great responsibility. A great deal of good can be done with this scheme."

This is how the Pilgrim Trust, the gift of Edward S. Harkness, an American, to the people of the British Empire, is being put to use. A large sum of money to be spent for the benefit of the British Empire, was recently bequeathed by Lord Macmillan, one of the trustees.

The gift is said to be in the neighborhood of \$10,000,000, and the trustees agree that it will be used to help the "bottom dog," as it is called, in the world.

Mr. Harkness, the ex-Premier, is one of them, and Mr. T. B. Stansfeld, Secretary of the Cabinet, is another.

Just as America's great fortunes are, on the average, far larger than those of the Old World, so American ideas of generous giving have been on a much bigger scale than those of the Old World.

Andrew Carnegie set the pace. Both the Pilgrim Trust and the Carnegie Trust, which have established great chains of free libraries, helped millions of people to a university career, rewarded heroism in a practical way, provided concerts and other entertainments for village folk, and helped to make life fuller and richer for millions.

Another pioneer of international philanthropy is John D. Rockefeller, who has endowed medical research on a scale never before contemplated.

To-day there are about 200 trusts created to administer gifts made by rich men for public purposes in the United States alone. These trusts control something like one billion dollars.

The Pilgrim Trust is by no means the first of Mr. Harkness' benefactions. He has contributed generously to the Shakespeare Memorial Theatre Fund, and other gifts made in the Old Country include one of \$500,000 to St. Andrew's University.

FARMERS' CLUTCHING HAND.

Several Hundred Cabbages Planted By New Invention.

Young cabbage plants received the surprise of their tender lives at the Middlesex County Council settlement at Denham, England, recently. Seven hundred were placed in a box upon a machine which began to move over a prepared bed of soil.

Minutes the whole seven hundred were neatly planted out in rows.

At the front of the machine is a little furrow as it moves forward. A moving belt carries the plants one by one to the rim of a wheel. As each arrives there it is seized by two metal fingers. Next instant a mechanical clutching hand comes down. It picks up the plant, turns it right side up, and places it softly in the furrow. At the rear of the machine are two wheels set chiselly. These close the sides of the furrow, bed-ding the plant firmly into position.

During the tests, not only cabbages, but cauliflower, carrots, and other vegetables, and shallots were dealt with by the clutching hand. The machine costs about \$200.

Miles and Miles of It.

The United States has 231,700 miles of railway, Canada 40,400, Germany 38,750, British India 38,750, the African continent 23,550, France 33,200, Russia 30,750, Australia 23,150, the British Isles 24,000. Belgium has the largest mileage in proportion to population, China the smallest.

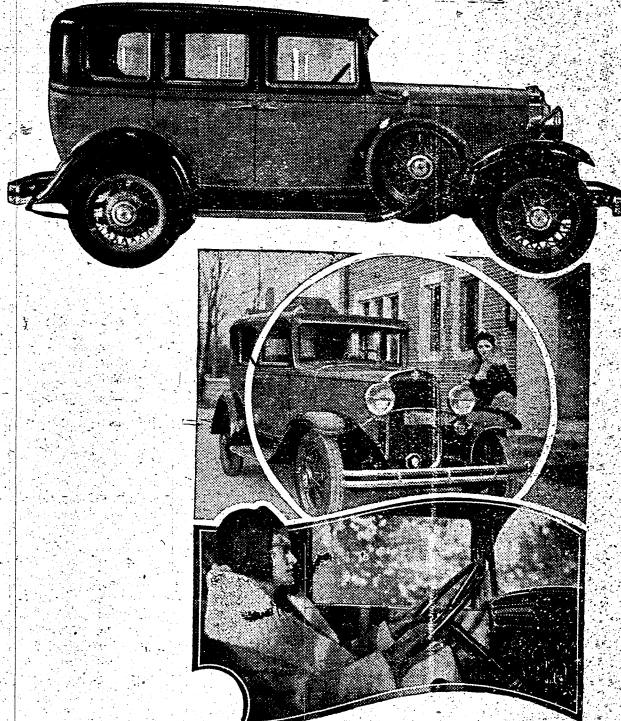
Society of Women Engineers.

Britain is the only country in the world with a society of women engineers; this has a membership of 300.

Matrimony's most dangerous year is the twelfth, judging from the statistics of the divorce court. Most marriages that fail are those where there are no children.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ring, of Use the Classified Advt. Column.

The Bigger and Finer 1931 Chevrolet



New models of the Chevrolet, now on display, are the most improved and refined. Above is the beautiful sport sedan, Chevrolet, is longer and all the interiors are more roomy. This is shown in the lower picture, which reveals the space in the driving compartment, and also indicates the clear vision provided. Prices of 1931 Chevrolet are lower even than those for 1930.

CULLODEN

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Cossaboom, of Digby, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. William Daley.

Mr. and Mrs. William P. Ross spent Christmas in Roxville, with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith.

Miss Mary VanTassel of Mount Pleasant, spent a few days this week with Miss Barbara Ross.

Sydney Stark, who has been scallop fishing out of Digby, has returned home.

Rev. Mr. Forsythe of Sandy Cove, preached in the United Church here on Sunday morning, and was a guest at the Sea View Cottage, for dinner.

Isaac Ellis, of Bay View, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. John Ross, on Sunday.

Miss Ruth Campbell is visiting Mrs. Alex. Ross, in Digby.

Reception Held in Honour Of Bridal Couple

A reception was held for Mr. and Mrs. Robert Landers, (nee Annie Greene) on Saturday evening, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Heber Greene, New Tuskett. Quite a number attended, and a pleasant time was had by all.

Here and There

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Twenty years of service with the Canadian Pacific Railway have received recognition in the appointment of George Hodge, assistant general manager, eastern line, to be manager of the newly-created department of Personnel of the railway, announced by Grant Hall, vice-president of the company recently. Mr. Hodge was specially selected for the appointment in view of his wide experience in labor matters and his particular flair for arbitration and kindred activities. He was especially in the limelight at the time of the Moctaw award, when his presentation of that situation evoked unstinted praise in Canada and the United States.

Likelihood of a large entry list from the Prairies for the third annual Empire Hardwood Golf tournament to be played at Victoria Golf Club February 22-23 is indicated in enquiries pouring in from leading golfers of the plains. Last year the tourney brought together 150 leading men and women from the Pacific and the Prairies and it is expected that this year's contest will be even more successful. The players of the silverware against the best golfers of Victoria, Seattle, Vancouver, Tacoma, Portland and Spokane.

Since the opening in 1923 of the New Brunswick School of Agriculture, 150 young men have attended the annual fall short course in practical agriculture. Attendance for the 1930 season was 150. On December 19, was the largest record, the number of students registered was 55, half of them being members of young people's livestock and poultry clubs. The silver cup for general proficiency was awarded to Ralph H. Colquhoun, of Petit Cocton.

So fine is the quality of the turf produced by Bent Grass, a comparatively new variety produced in Canada, that during the past five years more than 75,000 pounds of the seed have been exported to the United States each year. The seed quality is produced in Prince Edward Island and is used for lawns, golfing and lawning grounds.

Motor tourist traffic to New Brunswick from the United States was 44 per cent greater in 1930 than in the previous year, this percentage of increase in tourist business being the greatest shown by any province of Canada during that year. It is claimed by the New Brunswick Government Bureau of Information that the value of the trade in tourist travel, dependent estimates at \$18,000,000 in 1929 which must have been fully maintained if not up to \$20,000,000 in 1930.

One hundred pure-bred dairy cows were recently shipped from Vancouver to Hong Kong, being the largest shipment of cows that has been made from Canada to the Orient. Sixty per cent of the balance were Holsteins and the balance Ayrshires and Guernseys.

Old Dobbin is not being supplanted by the tractor and motor car in Canada since there were in June 1930, 3,236,928 horses on Canadian farms compared with 2,499,262 in June 1929, a very small decrease in a decade. Combined figures for Alberta and Saskatchewan where there is a constant tendency to mechanization in farm work, were \$6,775 less horses than the previous year which practically accounts for the decrease throughout the whole of the Dominion.

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CULTIVATE HABIT OF SENDING IN NEWS

One of the things that ought to become a fixed habit in every household in Bear River and vicinity is that of sending the Women's Institute Publicity Committee the news that you may know of; tell us of your news and any neighborhood or other items that will be of interest to yourself, your neighbours or your friends.

Every lodge, church, body or social organization should have a representative who will look after its news reporting promptly and carefully. If you think some organization has better news service than your own, it is probably because that organization looks after such matters better.

Above all, be early. Never wait till the last minute to send, an item that can be sent in early.

Write your items and send them in whenever possible. Or telephone them. You have your choice of three: Mrs. Harry Harris (phone 47), Mrs. W. M. Romans (phone 40-4), or Mrs. H. C. Anthony (phone 4-11).

BEAR RIVER WOMEN'S INSTITUTE HOLDS INTERESTING MEETING

The January meeting of the B. R. W.I. was held in the Masonic Reading Room on Monday afternoon, the President, Mrs. W. Morine, in the chair.

A number of business details occupied the first part of the session, among these the voting of five dollars to Oakdale Academy Prize List, renewal of subscriptions to "Home and Country," the official organ of the W.I. of N.S., report of the Benevolent Committee re. distribution of Christmas cheer, and the announcement by Mrs. A. B. Marshall, chairman of the Entertainment Committee, of attractive programs for the ensuing four months.

After business was finished, Alfred Porter read a most interesting description (received from a friend) of the "Passion Play," at Oberammergau—that unique and exquisite portrayal of Christ's life and work. Not only has an audience the privilege of listening to such a vivid picture of the scene, the setting of the play, the personnel of the actors, the solemnity of the scenes, were all most beautifully described. It was indeed a hearty vote of thanks that was presented to Mr. Porter, for the pleasure he had given his audience.

The February meeting, it is hoped, will be a rug hooking demonstration, by Miss Bertha M. Dean, Supt. Home Industries Division of the Prov. Dept. of Agriculture. To this a number of ladies outside of the town will be invited.

COUPLE HONORED ON "SILVER WEDDING"

On Saturday evening the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Curtis was the scene of a very happy affair, it being their 25th wedding anniversary. Over forty guests assembled and presented them with a silver cake basket and silver in money.

All of their children were present, Mrs. Sam. Parker, of Bear River; Mrs. Harry Andrews, of Halifax; Gladys and Ethel at home. Games and music were indulged in to a late hour. Delicious lunch was served, then all wished the happy couple many more anniversaries to come.

PORT WADE

Miss Mildred White, late of Yarmouth, is spending a few weeks with her grandmother, Mrs. Jane Litch, Licentiate G. Wright, of Acadia University, supplied the pulpit evening in the Baptist Church on Sunday evening. His message was timely and well presented.

Ralph Hayden spent the week-end with his family here.

Deacon and Mrs. Edward Johns entertained at a church social and 15 cent tea, at their home, on Thursday evening.

Miss Florence Clarke, after spending the week with her aunt, Mrs. Frank Gillian, returned on Saturday to her home at Parker's Cove.

Miss Willa Perkins returned on Saturday from the Christmas holidays, at Clementsvale.

An enjoyable session of the Women's Missionary Society took place on Wednesday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Ralph Hayden; "Beautifying the Waste Places" was the theme of the programme, in which all had a part. After the meeting the hostess served refreshments.

Turning out cigarettes at the rate of 2,000 a minute, a new machine recently exhibited in London is at Stettin.

HARRY MORINE GOES TO DEATH NEAR PORTLAND

TRAGEDY OCCURS ABOARD SCHOONER EN ROUTE FROM N. Y. OFF PORTLAND, MAINE

Hurled into the dark sea from the bowsprit of the schooner, Dawn Wilkie, with the snapping of a jib halyard, Harry Morine, 16, of Bear River, lost his life somewhere off Portland, Me., early on the morning of Dec. 27, while the vessel was on passage to Saint John from New York. The Dawn Wilkie arrived at Saint John Friday. Morine was making his first extended voyage as ordinary seaman in company with his father, Walter Morine, cook on the vessel.

The youthful seaman was tying up the cap jib of the schooner in company with Harry Cloney and Charles Scott, two seamen, when the top lift parted. Cloney and Morine were thrown from their footing and precipitated over the side. Cloney became entangled with the jib sheet, dragging in the sea and managed to save his life, by clinging to the starboard spring stay. Morine was thrown clear of the stays and sheet and disappeared with a cry beneath efforts on the part of the boy's father and ship's crew failed to locate him. It is presumed he was killed by the downward plunge of the ship through the wave and that he did not come to the surface.

In addition to his grief-stricken father, he is survived by his mother, and three sisters, all of Bear River.

First Voyage

"You might say it was the boy's first voyage," the father commented as he gazed toward the rolling bay. "He made one short voyage lasting a month, some time ago, with me. He has always wanted to go to sea, and while in Halifax recently, getting ready to sail for New York, I gave way to his pleadings, and a place was found for him in the Dawn Wilkie's crew."

"You know how boys are. He wanted to be a sailor and I guess he wanted to see New York, too. So he came along and now I've lost my only son. Harry was an eager lad," the father continued, "and his death resulted from no carelessness of his. The best seaman in the world would have gone over the side as he did, under the same circumstances."

"Does his mother know of your son's death?" he was asked.

"I wired her when we docked this morning."

Harry Cloney and Charles Scott, his companions on the boom when Morine fell into the sea, describing the tragedy, said the boy did not come up to the surface after making his fatal plunge. The three seamen were sent out on the bowsprit to tie up the cap jib. The time was 4 o'clock in the morning, "the darkest part of the night," they stated. While working the top lift parted, hurling Cloney and Morine over the side.

"I was on the inner end of the boom, getting the rope ready to pass under the boom, to lash the jib fast," Cloney stated. "One arm was under the boom and the other over it when the halyard broke. My life was saved when I fell between the stays. If I had fallen clear, on the outside, as Morine did, I would have been killed, too."

10 Minutes Overboard

"How long were you in the water," he was asked. "Seemed a lifetime, but it turned out to be about 10 minutes. They couldn't get me up," Cloney continued, "because everything was pitch dark, falling overboard and the halyard breaking and all, it was a wild moment for us. My arm was caught in the dangling sheet which was dragging in the water. I flung my arm over a stay and in that way climbed back to the bowsprit."

Asked if there was any wind blowing at the time, Morine's father and the two seamen said a storm was coming up and the Dawn Wilkie was running before a brisk breeze. "We were shortening the sails because of the approaching storm, when the accident happened," the seamen said.

"Did the storm hit you hard?"

"For answer the mainsail of the mizzenmast was pointed to. Stretches of the sail hung in tatters on the boom."

"That's an idea of the storm's force," they added.

Scott was out on the bowsprit when the halyard snapped and,

Will Play



Began Young

Ellen Ballon, noted Canadian pianist, who will be soloist during the All-Canada Symphony Hour to be broadcast over the Canadian National Railways' coast-to-coast network on Sunday, Jan. 11th. Miss Ballon began to play before the public when she was a little toddler of three and a half. She knew nothing of reading music then, but played a Clementi sonata from memory and astonished her hearers. From that time she went forward, winning many honors as a student until she reached the high musical position she now holds.

A MARRIAGE IN VERSE

By Law of Illinois

Spurning proxy legal formulae, a Justice of the Peace has married a young couple at Aurora, Illinois, in verse. Addressing the bridegroom the magistrate (says Reuter) said:

"Do you this lady for your wife take, to pay her bills, praise her steak? To honour and love, and keep her well from the marriage hour to the funeral bell? Cherish her well, in sickness or health, to share in poverty or in wealth? Walk the floor when baby comes? Buy it rattles, bottles, drums? Love her well enough for this? Take the lady with a kiss."

The groom: "I do."

Then turning to the bride, the magistrate said:

"Now, sweet lady, do you say you will promise to obey? Love your husband, honour him, for his sake risk life and limb? Never look at other men, pledge yourself to him; and then, faithful for the rest of life, be his gentle loving wife?"

The bride: "I do."

The magistrate: "Then, by the law of Illinois, you two are wed; may all be joy, the justice you I give, you're wed, the while you both shall live."

flinging an arm about a halyard, saved himself from falling.

The Dawn Wilkie brought a cargo of coal to Saint John from New York. Captain Wilkie is in command and J. Spilane & Company are the vessel's local agents.

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Local and Personal

Harold Reicker was in town on Saturday.

Miss Baird returned from Sussex on Monday.

Carl Eldridge, of Digby, was a recent visitor in town.

Walter Morine arrived home from Saint John on Monday.

Mrs. L. M. Butler returned on Saturday from Waterville.

J. J. Wallis, of Digby, was in town on Monday and Tuesday.

Principal Brown returned from Lawrencetown on Saturday.

Miss Verna Parker returned from Shubenacadie on Saturday.

Peter McGregor returned from Shubenacadie on Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. C. Sandiford returned to Boston on Thursday.

R. Hayden, of Port Wade, was in town several days recently.

B. Gesnor, of Yarmouth, was in town several days recently.

Dr. and Mrs. C. Sandiford returned from Halifax on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leighton Hinman spent the holidays at Port Wade.

Charles Morton, of Clementsport, spent last Monday in Bear River.

Billie MacIntyre returned to the Academy at Acadia, on Wednesday.

Frank Jones, E. C. of Digby, was a visitor in town over New Year's.

Miss Harriette Greene returned to Normal School at Truro, on Tuesday.

The Ladies' Aid met on Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Clarence Henshaw.

Mrs. S. Marshall, of Middleton, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Parker.

H. C. Anthony entertained the men's contract club on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Harry Andrews and baby and Miss G. Curtis arrived from Halifax on Tuesday.

Billie Anthony entertained a number of the young people after rink on Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Coombs are occupying the F. H. MacNaught house on Main St.

Miss Mildred Vidito, R.N. of Boston, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Vidito.

The W. M. S. of the United Church, met on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. W. A. Chute.

Miss A. M. Rice entertained the ladies' contract club on Tuesday afternoon, at Riverview Lodge.

St. John's Guild held their annual meeting on Thursday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. B. C. Clarke.

Mr. and Mrs. Reagh Burns, of Clementsport, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harris, on New Year's Day.

Mrs. H. C. Anthony entertained the C. G. I. T. Group of the United Church, to an afternoon tea on Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Anthony went to Weymouth last Thursday to attend a progressive dinner, and returned home on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds Harris and Mrs. Floyd Potter, of Weymouth, were over night guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Anthony, last Tuesday.

Mrs. Wilson Jefferson entertained the small boys and girls to a sleigh party and supper on Saturday, in honour of John and Charles Jefferson.

Miss Fowler, of the staff of Edgehill School, at Windsor, spent a week with Mr. and Mrs. E. Wallace Robinson, and returned to Windsor on Tuesday.

Many cards and other Christmas remembrances were received from Mrs. E. F. Powers, who is spending the winter with Mr. Powers at West Palm Beach, Florida.

Mrs. W. M. Romans entertained New Year's night at a family dinner party. Covers were laid for eight. During the evening three tables of bridge were enjoyed, Mrs. Fred Harris and Mrs. H. C. Anthony being the prize winners.

Dr. and Mrs. L. J. Lovett entertained at dinner on New Year's night. Covers were laid for sixteen, and later in the evening bridge was played at four tables, the prize winners being Mrs. A. G. MacIntyre, Dr. A. B. Campbell and L. V. Harris.

John and James Lovett, sons of Mrs. J. Harold Lovett, of Philadelphia, who were so severely injured in an automobile accident a few weeks ago, are convalescing, though James Lovett's badly mangled hand is still under treatment by specialists.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Wright, of Wolfville, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nichols, of Deep Brook, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. McIntock at the Commercial House, on Monday. Two tables of progressive forty-five were played during the evening.

WEDDINGS

Annis-Sandiford

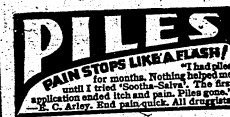
The United Baptist Church at Bear River was the scene of a very pretty wedding on December 31st, at midnight, when Miss Eva Sophia Annis, daughter of the late Dr. J. P. and Mrs. Annis, of this town, became the bride of Dr. Chester Leigh Sandiford, of Belmont, Mass. The bride entered the church on the arm of F. A. Chalmers, to the strains of Lohengrin's wedding march rendered by Mrs. Carrol Clarke. She

was gowned in a dainty dress of white shantilla lace over white satin with trimmings of white fox fur and carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses and lilies of the valley. She was attended by her sister, Miss Annie Annis, as bridesmaid, with dress of floral dresden silk with carriage bouquet of roses and white carnations. The groom was unattended. The service was performed by the Rev. A. A. McLeod, pastor of the church.

Owing to the illness of the bride's sisters no invitations or announcements were issued. After the ceremony a delicious buffet luncheon was served to the immediate friends and relatives at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chalmers, whose guests the happy couple were during their short stay here.

The groom's gift to the bride was a substantial cheque, to the organ-

ist a pin of white gold with amethyst setting, to the bridesmaid a string of pearls. The large number of beautiful gifts show the high esteem in which the couple are held. They left for a short tour through the valley, calling at Annapolis, the old historic town at which the groom's parents spent a portion of their wedding trip. After their return to Boston they will reside at the Oliver Wendell Holmes Apartments at Harvard Sq., Cambridge. The best wishes of the community go with them.



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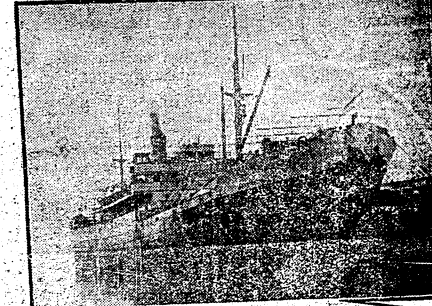
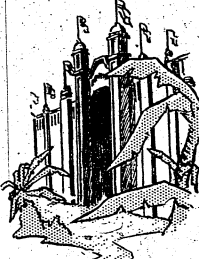


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OFF TO SOUTH AMERICA



Off to pioneer a pathway to South America in advance of the trade-tour party, sponsored by the Canadian Chamber of Commerce and the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, which sails on the CNSS "Prince Robert" from Halifax, N. S., on February 21st, next. Captain R. Forbes of the Canadian National Steamship "Canadian Pathfinder" greets Dr. J. H. Brovedani, head of the Spanish Department of Queen's University, Kingston, Ont., who has been retained by the Dominion Department of Trade and Commerce to take charge of the publicity services for the Canadian Government at Buenos Aires in connection with the British Empire Trade Exhibition to be held there and who sails for South America on that vessel. Dr. Brovedani will deliver a series of lectures on Canada's cultural and industrial life in Spanish, throughout South America. He is of the opinion that there is a good opportunity for the development of Canadian trade with the Latin American republics, pointing out that the export trade from Canada has increased greatly during the past four or five years. He states there is a marked feeling of goodwill on the part of the people of South America, particularly the Argentine, towards the Canadian people and a preference for Canadian ways of doing business, which, while being extremely modern and progressive, yet are based on British principles. Upper right, "Canadian Pathfinder" loading freight for South America at the dock at Saint John, N. B. Lower right, Canadian newspaper paper for Buenos Aires.

JOGGIN BRIDGE

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Rice and Mrs. Marshall, of Bear River, spent Sunday, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Wilson.

Mrs. Albert Rice, of Bear River, was the guest of Mrs. M. M. Woodman, one day last week.

Harold Hutchinson, of Digby, spent New Year's day the guest of his grandmother, Mrs. S. E. D'Arcy. Lois Wilson is on the sick list.

Spurgeon Weir spent a few days in Milton recently, the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Warren Dexter.

Mrs. O. F. Woodman and daughter, Ruby, who have been spending a few days in Paradise, have returned home.

Robert Cossett, lately of the United States, is now residing here.

Gordon Burnham, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Wallis, returned to his studies at Acadia on Tuesday. Other Acadia students to return on Tuesday were Jean and Earle Anderson, Eric Armstrong, Frank Whitham and Keith Potter.

On Wednesday evening Miss Effie Adams entertained a number of her friends from Bay View at her home on Birch Street. The evening passed most pleasantly with singing and music, and delicious refreshments were served.

Miss Amy Morehouse, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Beecher Morehouse, Centerville, who recently graduated from the Maritime Business College, Halifax, has accepted a position with the People's Credit Jewellers, Ltd., Capitol Theatre Bldg., Halifax.

C. P. Archer, of the General Motors, is in town on business.

CLASSIFIED ADS

IN MEMORIAM—In loving memory of Catherine O'Neill, who passed away on January 9, 1925. Six years have passed, dear mother. This day recalls a memory. Of a loved one gone to rest. By those who think of her best. She will never be forgotten. Though on earth she is no more. But in memory will be with us As she always was before. Remembered by her children at Roxville. 23 11p

IN MEMORIAM—In loving memory of our dear son, Howard E. Moorehouse, who died January 9, 1930. We are thinking of you, dear son. Thinking of the past; Picturing you in our memory Just as we saw you last. You left behind you broken hearts That loved you so sincere; Friends may think we have forgotten. When they sometimes see us smile; But they little know the sorrow. That the smile holds all the while. Inserted by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moorehouse and family. 23 11

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Digby's Progress in 1930 Briefly Reviewed

(Contributed)

Another year has passed, and Digby is looking forward to the fulfilment of the promises for the new year, 1931.

Digby grew and prospered during the year 1930, and should our town keep the pace it has kept during the past three years, Digby will win its place on the map among the "big" towns of Nova Scotia. Other towns in the province may have been affected by the depression that has swept over the whole continent, but, during the past year, nearly half a million dollars of construction work have been undertaken in our small town—and at the close of the year, most of this work has been completed.

The biggest item on Digby's construction programme last year, was the construction of the new government pier.

The Standard Construction Company, of Halifax, who were awarded the contract, have "delivered" the pier to the government, and are to be compensated on their work. Digby has now one of the most modern piers in the province, and when the electrical equipment is completed, will have every facility for loading and unloading boats and trains. This job (including the dredging contract) involved somewhere in the vicinity of a quarter of a million dollars and gave employment to a great many men.

Perhaps, next in line, comes the new eighteen hole golf course, built in connection with the New Pines Hotel. This fine golf course, of some two hundred and eighty acres, is said to be the most beautiful golf course on the continent. A large area of this course was cut out of the virgin forest, and while under construction, employed upwards of eighty men.

In addition to the two big jobs mentioned, which have been completed, there are also two other large contracts under construction at the present time—namely, the new help quarters at the New Pines Hotel, and the new Digby General Hospital.

These contracts will run well up into the tens of thousands.

The new hospital, which, although small, is modern in every way, is expected to be opened within a few weeks. This building is being constructed by day labor with Major C. Denton, the well known contractor, as supervisor of construction. Digby is naturally proud of her new hospital which is supported, not only by the residents of the town and the summer tourists, but by the people of Digby and Western Annapolis Counties, as a whole.

The new help dormitory at the New Pines Hotel is well on the road toward completion. M. A. Condon & Son, Kentville contractors, have this contract.

H. J. Warne, too, has built a large machine shop, thoroughly equipped with all the necessary machinery for turning out big jobs. Here De-fiance trucks are assembled complete and repair work for all kinds of cars handled.

The Walls Job Print, printers of the Courier, have found it necessary to install a large modern Linotype and an automatic job printing press to handle their increasing orders for printing, which come from all parts of Canada and Newfoundland.

Throughout the country there has also been a lot doing in the way of construction. In many centres the government has been doing work on piers and breakwaters. The waterfront of Tiverton, that important fishing community on Long Island has been rebuilt after being destroyed by the great storm of February 16, 1930. It will be remembered that on that day seven of Tiverton's ten wharves were washed away at a loss of more than one hundred thousand dollars. These have been almost all been replaced by far better properties.

Weymouth is gradually building up, after its disastrous fire, of October 3rd, 1929, and the buildings that have replaced those destroyed are far better buildings than the "original ones."

A new Roman Catholic Church at Doucetville, to replace the one destroyed by lightning, a short time ago, has been built and dedicated, and another new Catholic Church is under construction at Marshalltown. Excellent progress has been made during the year on the new church at Saint Bernard.

At Freeport, Connor Bros., canners, of Black's Harbour, N. B., have built, and put into operation a modern fish canning factory, and in this town, The Maritime Fish Corporation have installed a canning factory in their warehouse at "the iron tubes."

In the town and throughout the mainland and Digby Neck, there has been an unusual number of new

homes built during the year. During the past three years in this town, more than thirty new houses have been built (not including the development at the Pines). Not too bad, is it?

Although the summer tourist business was said by some not to be as good as during the previous year, it can be said that Digby "held her own" in that respect, while some of the larger hotels reported a slight falling off, others reported the best year on record. The smaller hotels all did an average business. Bear River is becoming more popular as a summer resort each year, and the year 1930 saw an increase of thirty per cent. over the tourist business of 1929. This village is destined to become the headquarters of visiting American sportsmen.

The fishermen have not fared so well, prices have been low, and of late the weather has been very unfavorable. However they do not seem to be complaining over their lot as the fishermen in other sections of the province are doing, and poverty is unknown among them. During the spring the lobstermen made out fairly well, and although your correspondent has not been given the figures, it looks as though the scallop fleet may be slightly larger this year than last. We are sorry to say that Digby's scallop fleet has fallen off somewhat during the past three years.

Our farmers have fared fairly well, despite the exceptional dry weather. The local hotels have afforded them a good market at good prices, and although some of the crops were a partial failure on account of the dry weather, the staple crops, with the exception of hay, were fully up to the average.

The drought not only affected the farmers, but practically every industry was more or less crippled owing to the partial failure of hydro power, but this condition was soon remedied through the help of H. T. Warne's mill, at Digby, and by installing a temporary steam plant in the old power house at Digby. The Digby County Power Board have now a new unit in operation at Sissiboo Falls, and have improved their plant to such an extent that it is felt that this situation will never be repeated even though there should be another summer as dry as last. They are continuing their extension programme by putting a new line through from Meteghan to Salmon River.

Ship building has staged a big "come-back" in this country. The two ship yards at Meteghan are employing upwards of two hundred men. At the yards of the Meteghan Shipbuilding Company, Limited, there are always from four to eight ships under construction, and the marine railways are usually working overtime. For a time last spring this yard launched on an average one vessel a week. The yard of Jules Robichaud, adjoining that of the Meteghan Shipbuilding Company, always presents a busy scene, and it is not unusual to see three vessels under construction in that yard at the same time. Boat builders in Church Point, Tiverton and Salmon River have all enjoyed a busy season.

There have been two successful agricultural exhibitions held in the county during the year, one at Bear River, in the Municipality of Digby, the other at Little Brook, in the Municipality of Clare. Boys' and Girls' Club Feeding Clubs have prospered and a few new ones have been organized.

The palatial new steamer, "Princess Helena" was put on the Saint John-Digby route in August. This was the most important thing that has happened in this county for some years. A new steamer was much needed. For years the staunch old "Empress" has been unable to handle the traffic, and this new steamer, with accommodation for five hundred passengers, fifty cars, and double the freight capacity, will do much for the future development not only of these two ports, but of the whole Maritime Province.

For its growth and development during the past few years, Digby has to give credit and thanks to the Canadian Pacific Railway. It was through the efforts of this great corporation that the new pier was built, and that we have the splendid new steamer on the Bay route; also that the present construction is being carried on at the New Pines today. It is the C. P. R. which built the new golf course and the New Pines—the finest summer hotel in Eastern Canada. This giant transportation system has shown its confidence in the future of Digby by investing hundreds of thousands of dollars here—and are prepared to spend as much more when business warrants it, and we hope it will be during the next few years.

(We thank our contributor for his

TOWN BUILT ON SALT

Indian Village of Xitapan, Mexico, as

Be Opened to Motorists

One of the most remarkable monuments of nature in Mexico is to be made accessible to automobile tourists by the construction of a highway from Toluca to Xitapan de la Sal situated midway between Toluca and Zacualpan, according to a despatch to the New York Herald Tribune. Xitapan is a primitive community. It has a population of about 1,000 Indians. The town is constructed on a great surface bed of salt. The people still maintain a custom that has been handed down through untold generations: they use salt instead of money as a medium of exchange on Sundays. This recalls the ancient Roman practice of using salt in lieu of money. The Roman soldier's salt ration became known as his "salary," the word now universally employed for pay.

Near the main plaza of Xitapan there rises from the center of a mass of volcanic fumes of dripping lava rock a fountain of hot salt and mineral water. This geyser has been built into a public bath, and many people make an annual pilgrimage to the town.

Just outside of the baths is a natural salt spring and a creek. The bridge is of solid salt with drippings hanging like icicles from its sides, and it is over this bridge that the bath is taken with perfect safety.

Near the salt baths is another bath of a peculiar kind of clay. This material is transparent and has the properties of soap. Mixed with the salt water it produces a lather for the hair that is remarkable for strength and cleansing properties.

ROMANCE OF DUTCH INDIANS

Girl, Once Doomed to Death, Rescued as Princess of Island.

Long before American women had begun going to the polls on election day, a girl named on the beach of a small island, near the great island of Java in the Dutch East Indies, had asserted her independence under a condition that was worse than slavery.

She was the Princess Padmah, declared to be one of the most remarkable examples of womanhood in the world.

In a country where for years women have been treated worse than slaves and put to death simply to make a religious festival who has risen to be an enlightened ruler over thousands of happy women.

When only twenty years old Princess Padmah was doomed to a cruel death, but she escaped. She was married in childhood to an old man of great wealth and importance. In those days widow-burning was still being practiced, although the Dutch rulers of the island prohibited it. When the young girl's husband died the natives accordingly prepared for several days of festivities during which the live body of the wife was to be burned on the funeral pyre with the dead man.

Bound to the pyre more than a day, the frightened girl managed to escape. She was given protection by the Dutch.

She was quick to learn and soon saw around many opportunities for making money. Now she is rich and employs many workers—all women.

POMPEII YIELDS STATUE

Is Said to Be That of Empress Livia.

Prof. Maiuri, who is in charge of excavations at the famous House of Mysteries at Pompeii, has discovered a magnificent statue of the Empress Livia, the wife of Emperor Augustus, who was ruler of Rome while Christ was born in Bethlehem.

The statue is glassy marble with vivid coloring and was found resting against the northern wall of the 2,000-year-old villa. The empress is represented as a middle-aged woman with a solemn expression. The head, according to Prof. Maiuri, was not sculptured for the body, but was evidently part of a bust or of a statue of different type. It reproduces faithfully in color the details of the empress' physiognomy—the arched nose, the widely opened and almost staring eyes with flattened pupils, the delicate lips and prominent chin. The pupils of the eyes are painted brown and the circle of the iris black. The face itself has a delicate reddish tint, and the lips are painted carmine. The empress is shown in a solemn sacerdotal attitude robed in a mantle which covers her head and body.

PILING UP GOLD.

Only Two Men Understand Art of "Stacking" Bags of Gold. There are vaults at the Philadelphia Treasury which contain millions of dollars. The coins are kept in bags, each holding one thousand dollars. It is said that there are only two men in the world who thoroughly understand the art of piling these dollar bags ceiling high so that there is no risk of their falling.

A man named Toughill originally invented the method of piling these bags safely, and before he retired he took a pupil, who, in turn, taught the secret to another man. Thus, there are always two men, and two only, who can do this particular job. An important job, for the bags are very heavy, and if they fell someone would probably get badly hurt.

Effect of Blown Salt.

How salt, blown twenty miles from the sea, causes a breakdown on Insulators of a 22,000 volt power line in South Wales is described in "Nature." A series of breakdowns due to "surges" on the lines had attracted the attention of electricians who, on careful examination of the porcelain insulators, discovered that they were covered with a thin deposit of salt. The insulator nearest the sea had the thickest salt deposit and broke down more frequently than others.

Holidays in various localities covered the third of the year, 23rd holidays being observed in the different countries of the world.

Interesting article, and beg to draw his attention to the fact that he neglected to mention the "Racquet Gardens," a new enterprise started here during the year by T. J. Harris, a florist of ability and experience. —News Editor (Courier).

Personal Mention

Harry Titus has returned to Moncton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jefferrey Boudreau are spending a few days in Halifax.

Miss Lois Walker returned on Sunday night to Halifax, where she is attending school.

Mrs. R. H. Lockward is expected to return from Plattsburg, N. Y., this week.

Mrs. Stabb left on Thursday for Halifax, where she will spend the winter.

Capt. O. Blinn, Fishery Officer, for Clare, was in town on Monday, on business.

H. S. Hoyt, Express Agent, spent the New Year holidays at his home in Canning.

Max Piggett spent New Year's day with his father, in Bridgetown, returning on Friday.

E. M. Robertson, who was called to Saint John last week by the death of a cousin, returned on Tuesday.

C. A. Clinton, who has been spending the vacation with his sisters, here, has returned to Boston.

Mrs. Walter Henshaw and small son, of Lynn, Mass., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Ellis.

Eric Manthorn, of the local telephone office staff, has been spending a few days at his home in Port Medway, Queen's County.

Miss Kathryn Servant, of Yarmouth, was the guest of Miss Florence Wallis, before returning to her studies at Acadia University.

Mrs. Gesmer and little son, who have been spending the vacation with her mother, Mrs. Harry Hersey, have returned to Wolfville.

Mrs. Gordon Erb and son, Wendall, of Saint John, spent a few days last week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Halsey Baxter.

George Post, who spent the holiday season with his daughter, Mrs. Charles P. Dunn and Mr. Dunn, Yarmouth North, has returned home.

Friends of Mrs. Clifford Bowly will regret to learn that she sustained a painful accident last week, and is at present confined to the house.

Leo Deveau, of Meteghan, is in Annapolis, the guest of his brother, Dr. Deveau, whose fox ranch, at that place, he was in charge of for several months.

Mrs. Wilbur M. Morehouse, of West Lynn, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Orville Outhouse, in Centerville. She returned to her home last Saturday.

Miss Louise Mullen returned to Truro on Tuesday, where she is attending Normal School, after spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mullen.

BIJOU DREAM THEATRE

SATURDAY, JAN. 10
BUCK JONES

in
"Shadow Ranch"

Talking Picture
Also Two Reel Comedy and Government Reel

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BOB STEELE

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"Headin' North"

Western Talking Picture
Two Reel Comedy

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THURSDAY, JAN. 15

Special Double Show—Silent

JACK HOLT

in a Great Western Feature

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One of the Best Talking Serials written.

SKATING TONIGHT

SCOUT NEWS



Come On Out!

The Scout meeting opened with the salute in the horseshoe. Due to the absence of the Scoutmaster and Assistant, the meeting was conducted by Scout, Earle Anderson.

The debate, resolved that winter sports are better than summer sports; between the Fox and Wolf patrols, was won by the Fox, the negative.

After a very strenuous basketball game, the meeting closed.

On Friday, Dec. 15th, the Annapolis Scouts were the guests of the Digby boys. During the evening a basketball game was held in which the Digby Scouts were victorious.

Sewing Circles Will Resume This Month

At the business meeting of the Ladies' Hospital Aid, held on Wednesday, it was decided to resume the Sewing Circles this month. The first meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. DuVerney, on Wednesday, Jan. 21st, at 8 o'clock. It is hoped that there will be a large attendance, and that, if possible, the ladies will each bring a piece of fancy work or material. The usual ten cent teas will be served.

Many local painters and decorators are employed these days in the Post Office building, which is now being renovated throughout.



From Mother of Six

"I think Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is wonderful. I have had six children of which four are living and my youngest is a female baby boy now eight months old who weighs 23 pounds. I have taken your medicine before each of them was born and have certainly received great benefit from it. I urge my friends to take it as I am sure they will receive the same help I did." —Mrs. Milton McMullen, Vancou, Ontario.

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Municipal Council in Session

The January session of the Council of the Municipality of Digby, opened in the Court House on Tuesday afternoon. There were present: Warden, J. Van Andrews; E. F. Hankinson, Capt. H. B. Fitzgerald, J. F. Hillman, James Robbins, Henry Crossboom, E. B. Pugh, J. Lent, H. Chisholm, H. H. Marshall and W. Woodman.

The warden, in his address, said that he was thankful that in spite of the widespread depression the county had enjoyed a good share of prosperity during the past year. What was needed in the county, he said, were more boosters and fewer knockers; and he added, if those inclined toward unjust criticism would change their tactics it would mean much for the good of the county.

The finances of the county were in excellent shape, and the county is something like \$3,000 ahead of last year, in spite of the fact that expenditure for outside poor showed an increase of a thousand dollars. Criminal prosecutions showed a decrease of \$500 during the same period.

At another session the matter of sheep killing by dogs was discussed. Bills from sheep owners were received showing that depredations from dogs during the last few months were responsible for the loss of a large number of sheep and lambs, in fact that the future of this important branch of agriculture is seriously threatened. The losses are from the districts of Culloden, Rosaway, Centreville and Freeport.

Councillor Hillman moved, and Councillor Pugh seconded a resolution recommending that so-called "police dogs" be banned from Nova Scotia. This resolution passed unanimously, as it was felt that dogs of

Freeport B. Y. P. U. Elects Officers

The Freeport B. Y. P. U. appointed the following officers at their recent meeting.

President—Miss Mildred A. Thurber.

Vice-President—Keith Perry.

Secretary—Miss Theresa Nichols.

Treasurer—Miss Maxine Westcott.

Pianist—Miss Evelyn Finigan.

Social Committee—Misses Mary Teed and Blanche Thompson, Rev. A. W. Akerley, Theodore Morrell and Reynolds Harris.

Musical Committee—Misses Jennie Thurber, Evelyn Finigan, Evelyn Thurber, Mary Teed, Bradford Finigan.

Sick Committee—Carl Sullivan, Keith Perry, Rev. A. W. Akerley.

Lunenburg Editor Passes.

Frank R. Moorhead, editor and publisher of the Malagash News and Newtown Gazette, Lunenburg's only daily newspaper, was found dead in his bed on Saturday morning. The late Mr. Moorhead was 71 years of age, and for forty-seven years has been a familiar figure in the journalistic life of Lunenburg, where he was editor, publisher and printer of the town's first daily newspaper. A West Indian by birth, he was probably the only man of his race owning and editing a paper in Canada.

This breed were responsible for the great injury to the sheep industry.

Harold S. Johnston, chief engineer of the Nova Scotia Power Commission, addressed the council in reference to the transfer of the generating plant of the Digby County Hydro system. (The details of the Nova Scotia Power Commission's proposition will be found in another column.)

SOME REASONS WHY WE SHOULD KEEP OUR POWER DEVELOPMENT

Following is a letter from the pen of G. W. Wightman, which was read before the Municipal Council this week, and is in opposition to the project of the Nova Scotia Power Commission.

To the Municipal Councillors of Digby and Clare, and All Ratepayers, Interested in the Welfare of Digby County.

Ladies and Gentlemen—Referring to Mr. Marshall's letter in the Telegraph-Journal, issue of January 8, 1931, page 3: It would appear that the Nova Scotia Power Commission are anxious to take over Digby County's Hydro Electric, Heat, Light and Power development; and that a representative of the Nova Scotia Power Commission may wait upon the Digby Municipal Council regarding this matter.

Why do they want our Hydro development? Do they think they can save money for us? No, it cannot be for this reason because they would also like very much to buy from Annapolis their system, and it could not be that they could save money for the users in Annapolis because Annapolis owns their own hydro system, and the cost of generating, distributing, expenses of sinking fund, and depreciation does not exceed 1.6% per kilowatt hour. Annapolis has had its hydro installed for many years, until today it has, I presume, nearly paid for itself, as ours will do in a number of years.

The time may soon come when Annapolis and other points in the Valley may need more electricity than they can produce by hydro themselves. In such a case the Digby County Power Board are in a position, with reasonable notice, to sell power at the county line, just as well as the Nova Scotia Power Commission could if they had control, or any other company or corporation to whom they may turn the whole works over to. I do not mean to say that they would turn it over to some one else.

It is their intention, I understand, if they could do so to take over the Digby County system and the other Valley systems that they have mentioned, and make the whole into one unit. If this was done, could it be so that they would at once give us the same rate in Digby County that the town of Annapolis now enjoys? No! This could not be done. Could they transmit power from our county line to new customers at and near Annapolis, and charge them the very low rate that the Annapolis users are paying today? No! They could not. Would they raise the present rate in Annapolis? I fear that this would have to be done, if all is put into one unit, and I do not think the present users there would like it.

Would it be fair for the Nova Scotia Power Commission to make one unit from the systems they mention? Oh, no, it would not be fair! Why should Digby County lose in a Three Million Dollar Equity along with all these others, which would not total a fifth of the value of ours? Why should we have our power carried out of our county permanently to build up the industries of other sections? True, we are willing to supply our neighbors with our surplus, if they require it, and so long as we can spare it.

The people of Digby County may be thankful that our hydro is not in the clutches of a company or corporation, to take from the users of electricity not only the costs and charges, but a large annual dividend on a heavy capitalization which is often heavily watered stock.

The Shubenacadie River, flowing down from the interior of our county, and fed by nearly fifty lakes, empties out very nearly in the centre of our county. On the river are two magnificent falls, dams, fumes, and power houses, which are generating more than double what they did a year ago. When the system of dams are completed, the expense of which will not be great, we will have water enough to generate annually in the vicinity of ten thousand horse power. At the rate the use of power has increased in the past two years, it will not be long before our power board can make substantial reductions in rates, because the more power is used the lower the rate can be to the consumer.

Of course we will always have people who find fault and complain, people who will fuss and fume if there is a flicker in the light, people

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THE CIVIC ELECTIONS

In a little less than three weeks it will be up to the citizens of Digby to elect three new members to their town council. Who are they going to be?

To date we have heard little or no talk on Civic Politics. We seldom do, for that matter, until Nomination Day, which is less than two weeks away, but this lack of interest in town government does not only apply to Digby. We will quote here what the editor of the Shelburne "Coast-Guard" has to say on the same subject:

"When a Federal or Provincial election is on, political parties choose their candidates with much care, but when Civic contests are in the offing no one seems to care a hang who enters the field and yet, it is more important to the community who sits at the Town Council board than who goes to Ottawa or Halifax. Just why there is so little interest is somewhat puzzling, since Town Councils have most important work to do that touches the pockets of the public even more than the work of representatives at either Ottawa or Halifax."

Digby, at the present time, has a good town council, men who are interested in the growth and welfare of our community. Three members of the present council, namely, C. J. Eldridge, M. C. Denton and A. J. Dillon, we soon complete their terms. Who are we going to find to take their places? Will they be re-elected?

Some People Will Kick at Anything.

To the Editor of the Courier:

Sir—I chanced to make remark about the old cannon that have recently been placed alongside the Soldiers' Monument to a man on the street, the other day, to which remark he replied: "Why in (naming the place the Old Boy himself is said to inhabit) did they have to put those old antiques there; they might have sent to the Militia Department and got a couple of discarded cannon brought back from the War."

He seemed to think that "those old antiques" were not in keeping with the monument erected to the memory of Digby's heroes who fell in the Great War of 1914-1918.

But, then, some people have queer ideas!

Digby's monument is erected to the memory of Digby's men. The two ancient cannon are Digby's cannon, rescued from the "Cannon Bank" where they stood for years as guardians of our town. On the "Cannon Bank" they were forgotten, and fast disappearing, sinking gradually into the earth.

Isn't it quite fitting they should be given the honored position they now occupy—Digby's cannon standing guard over that sacred ground in front of the monument, guarding the sanctity of this hallowed ground from the unthinking motorists, who have in the past insisted on turning or parking their cars there?

Aunt Tique

Dr. Kirkus in Charge of a German Church

One of Digby's best known summer residents, Rev. Frederick M. Kirkus, D. D., pastor emeritus of Trinity Episcopal church, Wilmington, Del., has accepted an invitation from the presiding bishop of the Protestant Episcopal church of Delaware to assume charge of the American church in Munich, Germany, from January until June, of this year.

Dr. and Mrs. Kirkus sailed on the steamer Lafayette last Friday, and the doctor will take up his new work immediately on his arrival.

Munich is an important city. It is the capital of Bavaria and is situated at an elevation of 1,700 feet, mostly on the left bank of the Isar River. It is about the size of Baltimore and is the third largest city in Germany.

Teacher at Victoria Beach Married.

The marriage of Miss Mary Etta Wilson, popular teacher at Victoria Beach, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Wilson, of Clarence, to Ralph Haynes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Haynes, of Victoria Beach, was solemnized on Tuesday afternoon, January 13th, at the United Baptist parsonage, Annapolis Royal, by Rev. M. B. Whitman, in the presence of immediate relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Haynes will make their home in Victoria Beach.

Will Lay Up Here For the Winter

The D. A. R. motor vessel Kipawo, Capt. Trefry, arrived here last week, from the Minas Basin route, and will lay up for the winter. The tug Otis Wack also arrived last week from Hantsport, and will remain until navigation in the headwaters of the Bay of Fundy is again resumed.

PROPOSED ANNAPOLIS VALLEY SYSTEM OF THE N.S. POWER COMMISSION

The Nova Scotia Power Commission is a Corporation whose origin and continuation are bound up in the policy:

"Co-operation in and Service at Cost of Electric Power and Energy Supply for the Province of Nova Scotia."

The Commission was incorporated in 1919, commenced operating its first generating station in 1921, and now has eleven generating stations comprising in six so-called Systems, with a total capital investment of about \$13,000,000 and with a total turbine horsepower installation of about 61,000 H. P. It has or will have within the next few months six contracts with Municipalities and seven contracts with Private Companies for the sale of power and energy in wholesale bulk, all of which contracts are on a "cost" basis except one, which latter closely approximates "cost."

Therefore, in initiating a proposal for the consolidation of the five hydro-electric generating stations between Middleton and Weymouth, belonging to the Town of Middleton, (The Annapolis Valley Electric Company, Town of Annapolis Royal, and Digby County Power Board, the Commission is not and cannot be proposing such consolidation in any spirit of financial gain or advantage for itself. Its aim and whole thought is devoted to effecting a co-ordination of generating activities and their consolidation into one composite generating system which will afford to the three Municipalities and the Company the maximum of power and energy service at the minimum of cost; with not one cent of profit attached to the Commission's operation of the consolidated system.

The Commission can say with some degree of pride that it has a highly trained administrative and operating staff, that it has at its command the best engineering advice, that its staff is intimately acquainted with this Province's problems, and that it will, endeavour to see that this Annapolis Valley System, when fully formed, will give a satisfactory, continuous supply of power and energy at cost for distribution from the borders of Kings County to the borders of Yarmouth County.

The future in Nova Scotia will see interconnecting lines spread more and more over the Province, and the small isolated generating plant will be an anomaly. Look where you will, in Quebec, Ontario, Saskatchewan, all over the States to the South, in England and Scotland, even in suspicious and jealous Europe, interconnecting plans and consolidation of generation are accomplished facts and interconnection is rapidly being extended.

Extra costs there must be to affect consolidation, but there will also be initial economies and inevitably the difference will be made up by constancy of, and betterment in service, by greater security against interruptions and against drought conditions. Ultimately also the consolidation means saving in capital costs, lower power, and energy generation costs, interconnection with larger systems, and power and energy supply to meet every demand in the Lower Annapolis Valley.

The Commission has Service and

Victorian Order of Nurses Grateful for Help.

Tomorrow afternoon the committee of the Local Branch of the Victorian Order of Nurses will hold an Afternoon Tea and Pantry Sale at Mrs. VanBlarcom's store. Be sure to patronize this tea and help the funds of the V. O. N.

Don't forget to attend the annual meeting this evening, at 8.15 o'clock, in the Court House, when the reports of the various activities of the public health work will be read, and the election of officers for the ensuing year will take place.

Nurse's Report for December, 1930

Patients 23

Nursing Visits 56

Clinics and Classes 5

School Visits 4

Home School Visits 2

Child Welfare Visits 23

Miscellaneous Visits 28

Total Visits 118

Children Inspected in School 28

Defects Corrected since Previous Month 2

Amount Received in Fees \$51.80

The supply committee wishes to thank Mrs. Clarke, Mrs. Williams, Miss Davis, Mrs. Alice Armstrong, Mrs. Eber Turnbull, Mrs. Lynch, and Mrs. Green for donations of clothing.

The treasurer acknowledges with thanks cash contributions from Mrs. Casswell and Mrs. Gilpin.

The grateful thanks of the committee were extended to Miss Ashplant, Mrs. Fillmore, and all those who assisted in making the "Fairland Cantata" such a wonderful success. Victor McNeill's kindness in loaning and driving his car for two afternoons in distributing Christmas cheer, was greatly appreciated.

Cash Statement of Cantata Funds

Proceeds First Night \$100.60

Proceeds Second Night 17.95

Total \$117.55

Expenses for Cantata \$18.40

Warm Clothing, Toys, etc. 13.38

Groceries and Vegetables 5.73

Fruit and Candy 4.25

Lumbermen's Rubbers, Socks 2.85

Meat 3.20

Balance on Hand \$117.55

This balance of \$70.74 is to be used towards health work on throat, teeth and eyes for underprivileged children.

Dr. Emdin Fritz Dies in Manchester, N. H.

Dr. Emdin Fritz, aged 76, practicing physician in Manchester, N. H., for 38 years, died in that city on Sunday. He was a native of Bridgeport, in this province, and was educated at McGill University. He received his medical training at the Bellevue Hospital Medical School, in New York. He leaves a widow, one son and four daughters. Dr. Fritz practised for many years in Digby leaving here to go to Manchester. He occupied the house and office now owned by Dr. Dickie.

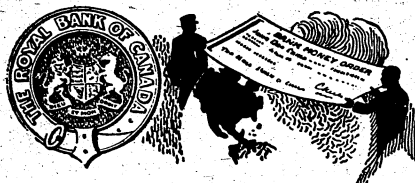
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MORE CONFIDENCE

"It is still hard to see very far into 1931, but the atmosphere is slowly clearing, and we can give 1930 a good swing into oblivion with more confidence that it won't return," comments The Business Week of New York in its last Business Indicator.

"Though the death-rattle of 1930 is sufficiently sweet music in everybody's ears, the final of the rather sour symphony of the past year adds some reassuring notes. The records of the last week of the year are much less feeble than was expected, and are in some respects more encouraging than those of 1929. The business index rose from 76.9 per cent. of normal to 77.8 per cent."

"Building contracts, merchandise carloadings, steel production, and check payments have held surprisingly well against seasonal declines. The night have been much more severe at the end of a bad year. Basic commodity prices seem to have exhausted the possibilities of further decline."

"Business sentiment is steadier and more alert, and the railroad consolidation news strikes a constructive note to start the new year."

ALL IN ONE BASKET

Have you ever been warned not to put all your eggs in one basket? To you all your eggs in one basket? When a man has a few hundred dollars to invest, for instance, the homely phrase is used by his friends. The idea is that, if he puts all his "wealth" into one investment, he will be penniless if it fails. But if he puts a hundred here, a hundred there, and a hundred somewhere else he is not likely to be ruined "at one fell swoop."

This is a principle that applies to other things than money—things more precious than money: life itself, for instance. A great many people rest the whole of their life and happiness on one thing. If that goes down, they go down with it. Life is over for them.

An artist who was blinded in the War. If painting had been his only resource, what a tragedy it would have been! But he was not one of those who put all their eggs in one basket. He had resources of which even blindness could not deprive him, and he managed to be both successful and happy in spite of his misfortune.

But there are many men who, as far as we can discover, have no interest in life outside business. Their first thought in the morning is "markets," and so is their last thought at night. If there was a real tangible Money Market, they would sleep there. Business is the breath of life to them.

Now, we are not deprecating keenness in business. We admire it. We respect a man who is shrewd and far-seeing, as long as he is fair and rigidly honest in all his dealings. He is an asset to the nation and to his fellow men. But a man can be all that without being so deeply engrossed in business that he has no thought or time for anything else.

It is a commonplace of experience that men who have worked hard for forty years to make a competency, often die without the chance of enjoying it, or of doing any of the things that they had planned to do after they retired. As soon as the work which they have lived for is finished they finish, too.

Well, you will agree that these cases are pitiful. The more so because they are unnecessary. These people ought to have enjoyed life, in every legitimate way, as life went on; and to have provided resources within themselves to compensate for the activities which had ceased to engage their main attention.

You have heard the expression about "taking a busman's holiday"? In the days of the old horse buses it is said, a certain old bus driver, whenever he had a day off, spent his holiday sitting behind the substitute on his own bus. He couldn't think of anything else to do. His bus was his life. He was "lost" if he couldn't see the horses stopping and starting when the bell rang!

It is laughable, but it is tragic, too, because it is so true of the life of many—if you can call it life. There's an idea, for instance, that everybody takes a holiday in these days; yet, last summer, quite a number of men were ostensibly making h-liday, but it was the "busman's" kind. Their thoughts were in town. They had packed their business wear.

When other and wiser men seized their golf bags and started for the links, these men started for the writing-room, the telephone, or the telegraph office, and got off letters and calls and wires. Their only recreation seemed to be hurrying to buy three or four financial papers, to see how stocks and shares were going.

They had all their eggs in the business basket, and foresaw trouble ahead. And, when life has so many baskets, this sort of thing seems silly, doesn't it? There are baskets galore! So why only have one? There's the play basket—and a good basket it is, too, both for health and good spirits; the hobby basket, a fine one for taking the mind off more serious things, for a change is the best rest; the social service basket; the family interest basket; the comradeship basket; the literature and art basket; the political basket; the church basket, the club basket, the business basket, immense importance though that is, in its own place and time.

It's well to face this matter early. You keep, young business men, becoming more and more deeply involved, almost submerged in your work, what would you do if, quite suddenly, that great resource should fail you? How would you fill your life with useful, healthful, satisfying activities, both of body and of mind?

You can't improve them when you are old. Many a man, had thought he could. He has failed. The single-track life wears a desperately deep rut, and when the man tries to pull his life-time out of it, it won't budge.

The only hope is to keep out of the rut, and that is only another way of saying: "Don't put all your eggs in one basket."

THE STUDY OF MAN

The new president of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, our foremost organization of useful scholars, is Dr. Franz Boas, professor of anthropology in Columbia University. This selection shows a tendency of the times.

Anthropology is defined as "the science of the physical facts concerning man and his development and history." This is a pretty broad field of research. It is a field in which American scientists have particularly distinguished themselves, and in which there is great and growing popular interest.

Our scholars are delving into the remote past, studying man's physical and cultural records as never before, excavating ancient cities, exploring old languages and customs, speculating on human origin and destiny, bringing forth thousands of fascinating facts that Alexander Pope never dreamed of when he issued his famous dictum that "the proper study of mankind is man."

This is human science as distinguished from natural or material science. We human egotists are naturally more interested in ourselves than in anything else.

There will be much interest in those 500 "wild babies" that Dr. Alek Hrdlicka of the Smithsonian Institution says he has studied.

They are babies born into an animal rather than human environment. Such a fate would naturally have made them more or less wild. Most of them, presumably, failed to match the experience of the celebrated wild twins of ancient Rome, Romulus and Remus. But they doubtless had varied and thrilling experiences. We hopefully await a "Wild Baby Book."

News accounts of Dr. Hrdlicka's revelations say that the infants run around on all fours like little animals, before the age of one, instead of creeping or crawling. Also that those whose careers he has followed into maturity all grew into men and women of unusual vigor.

That might be expected of the survivors. But what we crave to know is, what about their mental vigor? And still more, what about their manners? And did they make other people wild?

Vessels Loading Lumber at Weymouth.

The schooner Ullia, Capt. Oliver Comau, which has been laying at the Edward Lloyd Company's dock at Weymouth North for a few days, proceeded to Weymouth on Friday, to load lumber for Boston.

The schooner E. T. Threlkeld towed down the river from Weymouth to Weymouth North on Saturday to complete loading hardwood timber which will be used to build a breakwater at North Head, Grand Manan.

FARMER'S WIFE GETS STRENGTH

By Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Wilket, Ont.—"I am taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound through the Change of Life. It helps me and I cannot praise it too highly. I was troubled with heat flashes and my limbs were heavy. I could hardly walk to do my farm work. I saw in the newspapers your ad about the Vegetable Compound and thought I would give it a trial. The first bottle gave me relief and I have told others what it does for me. I am willing for you to use my letter if you choose."—Miss D. B. Foster, Wilket, Ontario.

THE SUN AND THE WEATHER

Qualified as it is and limited as it must be to weather, forecasts not over a week in advance, official approval given by Dr. Charles G. Abbott, of the Smithsonian Institute to the use of solar observations in the use of solar observations in the prediction of weather with greater assurance and farther in advance.

There seems little hope that improvement of present forecasts can be attained by further practice with the methods and facts now used. The situation seems to demand a new deal all around; not necessarily in the official methods themselves, but certainly in the laboratories and computing rooms, where newer and better methods might be devised.

Materials for a partial new deal have been supplied. Dr. Abbott believes, by the Smithsonian's long studies of the sun and of sunlight. Tentative trials of these solar observations in actual weather forecasting have been under way for several years. Gradually these are becoming more and more successful. Even a week in advance forecasting is something and one may be sure that the gains will not stop with this.

The sun, every one admits, is the chief motive power of weather. Its variations and activities certainly ought to have some relation to actual weather, probably a relation which is both intimate and instructive.

The chief mystery to laymen, probably, is why this should be so difficult. If the sun keeps the weather in movement, why does not some simple observation of that luminary determine precisely what the weather is to be as the speed of a factory steam engine determines how fast that factory's machinery will run? The reason is that the weather engine of the earth is almost unbelievably complicated. Sunlight does not effect the weather merely by making it warmer. Instead, most of the sunlight soon gets converted into atmospheric motion. It warms one layer of air, for example, so that this air rises. This forces some other mass of air to sink or to spread out horizontally.

The actual motions of the atmosphere are determined only in part by sunlight; in part also by the shapes and sizes of the continents, the depths and temperatures of seas, the trends of mountain ranges and probably a score or more of other things, some of which may not even be suspected. This explains the difficulty of the problem and the apparent mystery of why the truly mountainous labors of solar physicists have brought forth up to date only the somewhat mouselized result of forecasts dated one week in advance.

Activities in Weymouth Anglican Churches.

The regular monthly meeting and tea of the W. A. of St. Peter's and St. Thomas' churches, was held in St. Peter's Guild Hall, on Wednesday afternoon.

Rev. L. W. Mosher, curate of St. George's church, Halifax, conducted the services in St. Peter's church, on Sunday.

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THE EXPLODING UNIVERSE

The New York Herald-Tribune thinks the suggestion of the noted scientist, Sir James Jeans, that the Universe is exploding, leaving us to inhabit nothing but its dust, is more spectacular than the new, although recent developments of physical cosmology give it possible new interpretations. It is now an admitted fact, for example, that the most distant nebulae observable from earth with any precision show displacements of the spectrum lines emitted by their growing atoms, which displacements imply enormous speeds of motion of these nebulae away from the earth. Not one of these very distant nebulae seems to be approaching the earth; every one of hundreds is hastening away.

BLACK DIAMONDS.

Brazil has long been noted for its ants and has made the front page recently with its revolution. But has the story of a different kind of Brazilian product, namely, black diamonds. Africa is by far the largest producer of white diamonds, but Brazil is thought to lead the world in gems of the black variety.

Three varieties of diamonds are known: the crystalline gem stone, the bort, resembling the carborundum; and the true carborundum, Brazil possesses the only known commercial deposits of the carborundum, a so-called anthracite variety of diamond. The largest diamond ever discovered in Brazil in 1895, weighing 3,078 carats and worth more than \$300,000 at present rates.

Until the invention of the diamond drill, carborundum was of little value. Once thrown away as useless, later sold at twenty-five cents a carat, these huge, hard, rough diamonds now bring a hundred and eighty-five dollars a carat in the market. For the New Outlook. The so-called rub-bish-heaps of the world are all coming in turn to be worked over again with many startling results.

BORED BY HIS JOB.

Florence Ziegfeld, whose nod of approval or frown of dissent means success or failure to the pretty girls of Broadway's revues, never won a prize in a beauty show himself. And he never will.

At the shore, Flo Ziegfeld, in spite of his long association with the beauties of the continent, looks utterly bored most of the time. He explains why when he is passed through Vancouver recently.

"I'm deathly tired of looking at girls," he said. "I've got to be second nature with me. I have to be always on the lookout for a pretty face or a classic figure that I need in one of my revues. That I hardly ever find. What I am looking for is merely a proof that I am seeking what is almost unattainable. There are hundreds of thousands of girls who would like to work for me, but only a few scores that can come up to my requirements."

How long is it since the novelty of appraising beautiful young women passed off? he was asked.

"Years and years and years. Ever since I was a boy, girls have been nothing but a nuisance to me. My business is providing pleasure for other people, and I stick to that."

THE STORY OF HEELS.

It is thought they had their origin in Persia.

How is it that we have been on our boots and shoes?

It is said that they had their origin in Persia, long ago. Blocks of wood were fixed beneath the sandals in order to raise the feet above the burning sands of the country.

The blocks thus used by the Persian women were from eighteen inches to two feet in height (much higher than those of our day), and might therefore be described as stilts.

Many years later, a similar fashion prevailed in Venice, where it was encouraged by husbands with "gad-about" wives, who thought that such cumbersome, inconvenient "foot-gear" would keep the women in what men considered their proper place—at home. The supporters of these Venetian shoes were called "chappines," and in order to gratify the vanity of the ladies, and also, perhaps, to "sugar the pill," they were highly ornamented. A woman's chappine was proclaimed her rank. The higher they were, the higher was her position. Thus the robber the lady, the greater must have been her discomfort.

There exists, too, another possible explanation of the apparent dispar-

Tells Dyspeptics What to Eat

Strict diets are often unnecessary in stomach trouble. While some foods do produce excessive acidity and many stomachs do generate "too much acid" causing gas, sourness, bloating and after-eating pains, the trouble may be safely and quickly corrected by the use of a good alkaline. Bisurated Magnesia—powder of tablets—is ideal for this purpose. But a little after meals neutralizes all the excess acid, prevents souring, breaks up gas, and ends indigestion. Favorite foods no longer upset the stomach and digestion is easy and painless. It will do all this for you or money back. Druggists everywhere sell Bisurated Magnesia with this guarantee.

THE HOME TOWN PAPER

When the evening meal is over and the dishes put away, An' you settle down to store your mind with happenings of the day. Comes a peaceful feelin' o'er you, brushin' from your face a frown As you scan the weekly paper from your ol' home town.

It tells you all about who's sick an' those who come an' go, Likewise the comin' yendue at the farm of James Stowe. The burnin' of the cider mill belongin' to "Hub" Brown. Gets a write-up in the paper from your ol' home town.

There ain't an entertainment or a meetin' where they pray, But what I know about it though I'm livin' far away. If the chicken-pox is ragin' or the mumps is goin' round I peruse it in the paper from my ol' home town.

I read the mornin' papers, too, An' sometimes pick a novel up an' sort of skip it through; But when I want some pabum, which nowhere else is found I unwrap the little paper from my ol' home town.

They say our good an' bad deeds are recorded up on high, So that God can classify us when it comes time to die. If that be true, I know a man who's going to wear a crown— He's the gent who runs the paper in my ol' home town.

John Kelly, in the Chicago Tribune.

Old Cannon Mounted

Two old cannon have been mounted at the Soldiers' Memorial Square, one pointing north and the other south. These two old veterans were formerly part of the battery at the Cannon Bank where they were placed years ago to defend the town.

Most of the work in mounting these cannon was done by Rufus Connor, wrecking trucks from both the Digby Motors and the Digby Garage lent a hand in placing them in their new positions.

The cannon, as well as serving as a monument to the pioneers of our days, will act as traffic cops—by occupying the space they do there can be no parking near the monument during the peak season of the summer traffic.

Meanwhile there is another sense in which our particular corner of the universe seems to be in the midst of a cosmic explosion. Our sun is but one spark, according to accepted theory, inside a spiral nebula which is revolving and expanding, rapidly as cosmic time goes, like an exploding pinwheel on a holiday. Apparently this loveliest celestial pinwheel turns around in the sky about once in a hundred million years. Our place in the scheme of things is like that of a tiny insect living for a millionth of a second on one dust speck amid the flying sparks of a pinwheel. At that minute of lifetime the insect would never realize that the pinwheel was exploding. Nothing perceptible would happen in a millionth of a second and no lifetime, not even the lifetime of the insect race, would be long enough to see what really was going on.

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MANY BOYS' AND GIRLS CLUBS IN PROVINCE

A feature of the work of the Department of Agriculture has been the organization of Boys' and Girls' junior agricultural clubs throughout the Province. A recent special development has been the organization of a number of Junior Potato clubs, there being now seven of these clubs in the Province with over 60 boys and girls taking part in the activities.

As a result of these potato clubs it is anticipated that the younger farmers will take an increasing interest in the development of certified seed. Of the fields planted by the members of the potato clubs, 48 out of 58 passed for certified seed, the profit this year ranging from \$7.50 an acre to \$489.00 and the average of all the plots was \$112.35 an acre. The above profits were made this year at \$1.00 a bag instead of \$1.50 which was received last year.

There are now 142 boys' and girls' clubs in Nova Scotia in which are enrolled 2,187 members, which represents an increase of more than 100 per cent. for 1929. These boys' and girls' clubs are engaged in all kinds of farming activities including the raising of calves, hogs, poultry and the production of garden, potato and orchard crops, and also in the study of the fundamental principles of agriculture.

Officials of the Department of Agriculture are in constant touch with the work of these clubs and the result of this work has appeared most prominently at the rural school fairs and through the special boys' and girls' exhibits and stock judging contests at the County and Provincial exhibitions. 73 school fairs were held last year in which 392 schools participated which is a very substantial increase over the 10 school fairs which were held last year as 1929.

The education which the boys and girls participating in these clubs are receiving and the interest and enthusiasm for improved agriculture which is being created, is bound to be reflected as these boys and girls take their places in farming of future years.

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WARNS PUBLIC

DR. GRACE KIRKLAND, M. D., well known woman doctor, warns against continued use of drastic purgatives.



"Ten years medical practice has convinced me that persons suffering from functional debility as indicated by pasty complexions, faulty digestion, poor assimilation, chronic or occasional constipation, acidity, gas, unrefreshing sleep, nervousness, biliousness and toxic headaches, should shun the frequent use of calomel, salts, oils or other drastic habit-forming purgative drugs."

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Dr. Kirkland is a resident of Atlanta, Ga.

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Weymouth North

Mrs. Warren Lent was a passenger to Halifax on Monday, returning on Tuesday.

Miss Greta Journey, who spent the Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Journey, returned to Halifax on Wednesday to resume her studies at Mt. St. Vincent.

Mrs. Margaret Tooker left on Saturday for Deep Brook, where she has accepted a position.

J. J. Wallis, of Digby, editor of the Courier, was in town on business on Wednesday.

Mrs. F. B. Sweeney was a passenger to Boston on Friday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Aubrey Butler.

Miss Alice Tooker, who has been employed in Halifax for the past month, returned home on Friday.

Miss Mary Hankinson returned home from Waltham, Mass., on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Cosman are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son.

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Will Sing



Chief Among Chiefs

Chief among chiefs is Os-Ke-Non-Ton, the Mohawk singer. His father before him was chief in Canada, but he stands high among the Redskins not only for his noble heritage but for his individual gifts. He spent his boyhood with his people on reservation, became an expert with a canoe, and a guide for Pale Face travelers in the woods, and now lives to interpret in his own way the vanished life of the Indian. He will be heard singing his strange, thrilling Mohawk songs on Sunday, January 18th, when he appears before the microphone with the Toronto Symphony Orchestra during the Canadian National Railways' All-Canada Symphony Hour.

CULTIVATE HABIT OF SENDING IN NEWS

One of the things that ought to become a fixed habit in every household in Bear River and vicinity is that of sending the Women's Institute Publicity Committee the news that you may know of; tell us of your news and any neighborhood or other items that will be of interest to yourself, your neighbors or your friends.

Every lodge, church, body or social organization should have a representative who will look after its news reporting promptly and carefully. If you think some organization has better news service than your own, it is probably because that organization looks after such matters better.

Above all, be early. Never wait till the last minute to send an item that can be sent in early.

Write your items and send them in whenever possible. Or telephone them. You have your choice of three: Mrs. Harry Harris (phone 47), Mrs. W. M. Romans (phone 40-4), or Mrs. H. C. Anthony (phone 4-11).

OBITUARY

Marion Wade

There passed into the great beyond on Thursday morning, Marion Wade, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Wade. She was one of the twins, age 12 years. She leaves to mourn a father, mother, six sisters, namely: Mrs. Edward Richter, of New York; Gertrude, Muriel, Gladys, Betty, Marie and the other twin. The funeral service was held from the Baptist Church on Friday afternoon, conducted by the pastor, Rev. A. A. MacLeod. The hymns sung were "Jewels" "Safe in the Arms of Jesus". The floral tributes were lovely. Interment in Mount Hope cemetery.

HOCKEY BOYS HOLD PIE SOCIAL

One of the events of Bear River during the past week was a pie social held in the I. O. O. F. hall by the local hockey boys. The neatly trimmed, and in this respect special mention should be made of those, Miss Annie Annis and Miss Phyllis Darras. A large crowd of young people attended the sale in spite of unfavorable weather conditions. The proceeds, which were about \$36, will be used for hockey club purposes.

There Will Always Be Complaints

People with money are urged to spend, and when they do spend a lot of critics, including many half-baked occupants of pulpits, who have Socialistic tendencies, rise up and call this expenditure "vulgar display." If a man with plenty of money spends it he creates money-making opportunities for many others and thus gives impetus to business. If the money is his and gained honestly he has a right to spend it any way he wants to and it is far better to expend it in creating industry than in idles for nothing received in return.

REPORT OF THE W. M. S. UNITED CHURCH, YEAR 1930

The Missionary Society has had a very successful year. We have held several regular meetings and several special meetings. The Presbyterian met in January and our delegate, Mrs. H. E. Harris, brought back a splendid report of the meetings. We also had a wonderful paper on the Maritime Conference which met in Moncton in May. Mrs. J. T. Davidson being in attendance at that session. The World's Day of Prayer was a special meeting in the Baptist church and was well attended by the members and friends of the different denominations in town.

The Presidential picnic, which was held in Lawrencetown early in July, was a decided success. Quite a number of our members were in attendance.

A Fair Sale was held in September and was a financial success. Mrs. J. B. Hall, Presbyterian president, met with us in September and gave a most interesting and helpful address which was much enjoyed. We are looking forward to having Mrs. Hall with us again at some future time.

November was a very busy month. A Thank-Offering service to which the C. G. I. T. group and leader and friends were invited to meet with us at the Parsonage, where a very delightful evening was spent. A Halloween party was given in the vestry for the Sunday School and a special Mite Box meeting was held, also. The number of sick calls during the year numbered 171.

Our allocation of \$104.00 has been reached and we are looking forward to 1931 for further work for our Lord and Master.

The officers for 1931 are as follows:

President—Mrs. G. Croseup

First Vice-President—Mrs. Harry E. Harris.

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Respectfully submitted (Mrs.) Lillian Morine.

WELCOME THE DANES

To the Editor of the Courier: Sir—My attention was fixed on a paragraph in a recent issue of your journal, relating to the settlement of Danish immigrants in different sections of Nova Scotia. For years I have been trying, by correspondence with the powers, to promote such a movement of desirables, especially sailors and fishermen, who might be located at suitable points along the south shore of Nova Scotia, adding to the man power of the seaboard settlements, and finding ready employment as fishermen and skilled mechanics in different branches of hand-work. A better class of citizens could not be recruited from any part of Europe, except their own Scandinavia. I have in mind Cape Island, where the nucleus of a thriving little colony might be planted on about 3,000 acres of crown land which might be acquired, under these circumstances, by free grants. That tract of land (an unclaimed piece) consists of extremely fertile soil, without a rock or tree to retard its cultivation. With this end in view I am memorializing the local government to open up the same for settlement by constructing through it a good solid traffic road, suitable for auto trucks. The district borders on the town of Clark's Harbor, where fishing is a remunerative calling. I fancy many of those new settlers, should they read this note, would like to enquire about the chances. I shall be glad to answer all questions.

M. H. Nickerson

174 Emerson Street, East, Melrose, Mass.

Linen produced 7,000 years ago was of higher standard than the linen of today. Lord Palmerston said in a speech, opening an exhibition of linen, in London, England.

THE WEEK OF UNITED PRAYER

How nobly it brings good cheer!

The annual week of special services, inter-denominational in character, which have now become the regular order of things in all Christian communities, commenced on Monday evening, January 5th, and continued until Friday, the 9th. The subjects and speakers were arranged for at the last meeting of the Ministerial Association, and were as follows:

Monday—Church of England—Subject: "The Church and Social Questions"; Rev. A. W. L. Smith presiding, and Rev. A. A. MacLeod, of the United Baptist church giving the address.

Tuesday—Advent Church—Rev. C. P. Henderson, presiding. Subject: "The Church and Education"; by Rev. A. W. L. Smith, rector of the Church of England.

Wednesday—United Church of Canada—Rev. F. W. Sawdon, presiding. Subject: "The Church and Home Missions"; address by Rev. C. P. Henderson, of the Advent Church.

Thursday—United Baptist Church—Rev. A. A. MacLeod, presiding. Subject: "The Church and Foreign Missions"; address by Rev. E. D. Murray.

Friday—Oakdene Hall—Rev. E. D. Murray presiding. Subject: "The Church, a World Institution"; address by Rev. F. W. Sawdon.

The weather was somewhat against a large attendance on some of the evenings, but nevertheless the services were well attended on the whole, and an interesting series of addresses on the work of the church was presented, which cannot but help to increase interest in the life and work of the Universal Church.

It is eighty-four years since the week of prayer was first instituted. It was a critical time in the history of the world. A time of anxiety and storm was fast approaching and a call was sent out to all who believed in Prayer to get together during the first full week in the New Year in united prayer. The United United prayer movement is a world-wide movement. It has indeed been a means of unity since its inception and has brought the various branches of the Church of Jesus Christ into a fellowship for one week which has enabled them to sing with a sincerity of heart and in all truth:

"We are not divided, all one body we, One in faith, and doctrine, One in charity."

The offering for the week amounted to \$28.69.

IRISH JAIL CLOSED.

Kilmainham Jail Abandoned Finally as a Place of Detention.

The Kilmainham Jail, Ireland, which has played a prominent part in Irish history, has been abandoned finally as a place of detention and handed over to the Dublin County Council for other disposition.

The graves of two men executed there after the Phoenix murders on 1122 are indicated by stone slabs now overgrown with weeds, and marks on the wall testify to the spot on which the leaders of the Easter 1916 uprising met their death. Frank Teeling, while awaiting execution there after the murders of fourteen British officers in November, 1920, was rescued from the jail under "amiable circumstances." Charles Stewart Parnell's room is still pointed out, while a stone set in the wall shows where the scaffold was erected for the execution of Gen. Thomas B. Burke, Irish-American officer, who came over to take charge of the Fenian forces in Tipperary more than thirty years ago. In the prison are the names of John Doherty, Thomas O'Brien, William O'Brien and William Redmond, father of the present Irish M.P., who fell fighting in Flanders in 1917.

Automobiles. Into the Jargon of the automobile world there often creeps a new word. Sometimes such words fill a temporary need and then drop from sight, but occasionally they stick. Some people are wondering if the latest addition to motor terms will survive or whether it will be better. The new word was discovered by the editor of a motor magazine while driving along a street not long ago. Passing a junk lot he read the sign: "Automobileman." At any rate, the word has two qualities. It tells the story, and it's new.

Trade With South Africa. C. S. Blisset, Canadian Trade Commissioner to South Africa and Rhodesia, states that trade between Canada and South Africa is growing rapidly, and that for 1929 having increased 35 per cent. over 1928.

Manufacture Macaroni. Canada has twelve factories for the manufacture of macaroni and the annual production has a value of about a million and a half dollars, according to the latest figures from Ottawa.

Bakko Boots. In making their heavy boots, Bakko use coast whale sinew for thread.

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A lady at Washington was very much perturbed at the lions at the new British embassy having their tongues out, as she thought, at the American people. However, she was reassured, when told it was because the country was "dry."

Here and There

(Continued from page 1) In 1926 in answer to the demands of rapidly increasing travel between Montreal and Boston, the Canadian Pacific night express between the two cities will have forty minutes cut from its scheduled time and on January 11 leaving Montreal, forty minutes later than before, but arriving at Boston at the same time as on the former schedule. The train will leave the Windsor station at 9:55 instead of 9:15 as heretofore. The "Red Wing" is an all-wheel train with all equipment of the latest type.

Appointment of W. R. Patterson to be deputy general auditor, Canadian Pacific Railway, is announced by E. E. Lloyd, Controller of the railway, who is succeeding in his position of auditor of disbursements by Charles B. Gordon. Mr. Patterson is one of the youngest men holding important offices in the Canadian Pacific Railway, having been appointed auditor of disbursements in 1924. He is a native of the United States and was controller of the Kettle Valley Railway in British Columbia, prior to his new appointment.

A motor cycle and side car carrying two men was towing a man on skis, across the silence of Lake Louise December 28 when at nearly 5,000 feet altitude it roared around a snow-covered trail at a speed above 50 miles an hour. It was the first time in history that a motor cycle has been on Lake Louise. The first time a motor cycle ski-joring has taken place there and the first time a motor cycle has travelled under its own power from the shores of Lake Louise to the depth of winter.

On the stroke of midnight of December 31st, last one of the most remarkable railroad careers in the Maritime Provinces ended. The retirement of Charles H. S. Henderson, dean of Canadian Pacific Railway conductors. Mr. Henderson became a train conductor in 1874, at the age of 17 on the New Brunswick railway between St. Stephen and Edmundston. He completed 54 years of service with this railway and the C. P. R. December 31. He has been conductor on the main line of the railway for 28 years, and has been president of the Canadian Pacific.

Scheduled to play at least 25 games in less than three months in practically every capital of Europe, the Manitoba University graduates have been named as the Pacific Island team for the Canadian Pacific liner Melita for Liverpool, January 2. They will return to Canada from Liverpool at the end of March.

The "Corn Belt" of North America has in the last few years slowly pushed its way north and today many parts of the prairie provinces are producing corn. Corn is produced in different varieties and of high quality. At the fifth corn show under the auspices of the Saskatchewan Corn Growers Association, one of the finest exhibits of corn in the history of western Canada was on display.

A recent official report states that over 55,000 lbs of the eight-armed octopus were caught in 1929 and over 28,000 lbs in 1928. The fish is eaten chiefly by Orientals in British Columbia and brings a price of ten cents a pound on the market. The catch is the seasonal product of other fishing grounds.

Local and Personal

Mrs. J. T. Davidson left Wednesday for Berwick.

Ray Minard and Mr. Fitch were recent guests in town.

Vernon Peck has moved into the Payette Tupper house.

Mr. Greene spent the week end at his home in Middleton.

Mrs. H. Wright returned from Clementsport on Thursday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cross, on January 12th, a son.

Mrs. A. Raymond has moved into the house owned by L. Alcorn.

Baptist circle met on Tuesday evening in the Baptist parsonage.

Willard Marshall, of Shelburne, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Rice.

John Morgan, L. Rice and Alfred Parker left on Monday for Middleton.

Mrs. Fulton Parker left on Tuesday for Boston for medical treatment.

The Ladies' Aid met on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. H. Purdy.

The Brotherhood met on Tuesday night in the vestry of the United Church.

Dr. A. B. Campbell entertained the Men's Contract Club on Thursday evening.

Mrs. L. M. Butler entertained the Ladies' Contract Club on Monday afternoon.

The Philatelic Class met on Thursday evening with Rey and Mrs. A. A. MacLeod.

Miss Catherine Desborough, of Saint John, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Porter.

Miss Eva Kennedy, who has been the guest of her parents, left on Tuesday for Boston.

Henry M. Romans returned to Windsor recently to resume his studies at King's College.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cunningham entertained at dinner on Tuesday night, covers being laid for ten.

Mr. and Mrs. William P. Brinton returned last Friday from a fortnight's vacation spent in Boston.

St. John's Guild held their adjourned annual meeting yesterday, at the home of Mrs. B. C. Clarke.

Mrs. Harold Hathaway, Mrs. H. C. Anthony, and Miss B. Anthony spent several days of last week in Saint John.

Mrs. Harry E. Harris left on Wednesday for Berwick as a delegate to the Annapolis Presbytery which has been meeting there this week.

Eber Peck, the well known guide was unfortunately enough last week to cut his leg badly, necessitating several stitches to close the wound.

Mrs. E. Wallace Robinson went to Windsor on Wednesday. She was accompanied by her daughters Mollie and Frances, who are pupils at Edgemoor.

Mrs. Botsford Rice, who is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Harriet Robbins, had a very bad fall last week, but was resting comfortably this week.

The annual meeting of St. Clement's Parish is to take place in St. Matthew's church, at Deep Brook, on Monday, on arrival of the train from Halifax.

A memorial service was held on Sunday afternoon in the Greenland church, by Rev. A. A. MacLeod, in memory of Harry Morine, who lost his life at sea on December 27th.

On account of weather conditions Rev. Rual Dean Smith was unable to hold service at Deep Brook or Bear River last Sunday. L. V. Harris conducted the service at Bear River.

Deep Brook Amateurs Produce Successful Play.

A successful play, entitled "Christmas at Finnigan's Flat," was given in the Deep Brook hall on Friday evening last, by the Boys' Club, assisted by the ladies of the Deep Brook United Baptist church, and children from the Sunday School. The cast was as follows:

Pat Finnigan, owner of the Flat

Luke Vroom

Biddy, his wife Mrs. Norman Vroom

Professor Baton, a German violinist, Walter Dittmar

Mr. Dooley, a policeman, Paul Vroom

Miss Neely Smile, an old maid

Miss Goodheart, a rich lady

Mrs. Joseph Dittmar

John, her chauffeur, Robert Spurr

The play was under the direction of Rev. H. W. Habel. The music, consisting of Christmas carols was directed by Mrs. H. W. Habel. Bernice Purdy presiding at the organ.

The proceeds were \$17.00.

A number of young people from Clementsport furnished the first number on the program—a short play.

HOW SHOULD ONE SLEEP?

Investigation Reveals Average Person Changes His Position Many Times During the Night.

Since all of us spend a good deal of our lives sleeping, the subject of how to secure a maximum of rest and relaxation is an interesting one. Some postures are said by doctors to produce deformities, and others to strain the muscles, or to produce a "backache" or "stomachache." Recently three American doctors conducted sleeping tests, and in reviewing their report the *Label* states:

"The American Army urges its soldiers never to forget that the best way to use the body for all purposes is as if it were stretched as far as possible. During sleep the body is not to 'curl up and tuck in' in the middle. Yet other authorities claim that the rule for sleeping is to lie on the side, and this at least seems more reasonable, since the 'position of rest' for all parts of the body is one of flexion. The rule that the flexor muscles are slightly more powerful than the extensors."

The American doctors, during the course of an investigation into sleep conducted at the Mellon Institute, Pittsburgh, have invented an ingenious device to record the movements of healthy people in bed. A pen is attached to a part of the bed which records the position of the body, and each jag in the line represents a movement.

A study of 113 healthy people and seventy patients in hospital, and, in addition, of some children and university men, has shown that the average person changes his position between twenty and forty times a night in a typical night of eight hours, and holds about half the night in one position for less than five minutes. He does not lie still for an hour at a time once in the night.

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CHURCHES AND WEEKLIES

"Churches and weekly newspapers are very similar," said the Rev. Canon A. F. Shaffner, Montreal, at a gathering of newspaper men recently. "You preach once a week—so do I. You wrestle with the devil—so do I. You have difficulties in making collections—so do I."

"Canada needs good interpreters to clarify her ideals and her standards. The office of the interpreter is the oldest in the world, and the most important."

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"The weekly newspaper plays a more important part in the lives of its readers than the daily. The city newspaper is an incident, but the weekly is an episode. It is looked forward to until it arrives; it is then read and digested, and talked about until the next one appears. To its subscribers the weekly newspaper is their provender. It is their bible and their lawbook, and it covers all their interests and activities."

"In the final analysis the real value of a newspaper is not commercial or intellectual. It is moral and spiritual, for it keeps before the minds of the people the ideals for which this great Dominion stands."

"If we are to keep this Canada the country that it ought to be, we need unprejudiced interpreters with dominion ethics and ideals. The province of a newspaper is to keep before the people views that are synonymous and symmetrical in relation to the whole. The weekly paper is not the least of those who are contributing to the building of the ship of Canada."

CODE FOR CAR DRIVERS

Over in the Old Country, where they do things quietly, but usually most effectively, they have just devised a new Road Traffic Act. Briefly it abolishes the speed limit, institutes compulsory third party insurance, raises the minimum age for drivers, demands proof of physical fitness for driving, makes penalties for dangerous driving much heavier, changes the most arresting feature of this code is that it abolishes the speed limit. It is based upon very common-sense reasoning. A motorist may speed if he wants to, and nobody will interfere with him, but if an accident happens to him, or he causes an accident to somebody else, then, just because he was speeding, it will be a factor in establishing his liability.

This seems eminently sensible. It is so sensible that it might be studied by those responsible for Canadian highway laws. In this country at the present time there is almost too much of a tendency to make a criminal out of a motorist before he commits a crime. A driver stepping on the gas on a clear highway, with not a soul in sight, is pounced upon just as readily as though he were driving up a crowded thoroughfare with half the community about him. That, obviously, is nonsense.

The English are more reasonable. Here, they say, are certain rules, a code. Neglect of its provisions will not make you liable to criminal prosecution, but it may have an effect in establishing your liability.

Whether that theory could be made applicable on this continent, where there is less respect for the law, one cannot tell. But it certainly seems reasonable, and might be given a trial.

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DEAD ISLANDS

Islands of the St. Lawrence, Formerly Inhabited, are Now Without Inhabitants.

People talk of St. Kitts as if it were all one island, but in reality it is a group of several islets, of which the largest is the island of St. Kitts. The islets are cultivated, and the rest was sheep run. But now St. Kitts is a dead island. All the people and all the buildings have been removed to the mainland.

Forty miles northeast of St. Kitts is the Seven Islands, a group of islands called the Flannan Islands, rocky pinnacles against the vast surges of the Atlantic. Land there to-day and you find nothing but a few bones, the property of people on the big island of Lewis, sixteen miles to the eastward.

For centuries no one has lived on these wind-swept rocks, yet in the centre of the largest island you may see a chapel or a mill, and a few bones, with a roof of flat stones.

Legend says that this was the home of St. Flannan, a hermit who lived there in the seventh century. There are two other buildings, and a wall of stone runs right across the island. Obviously at least one of the islands was once inhabited.

Other far northern islands are bearing their people. The island of Hov, which lies in the mouth of St. Lawrence Harbor, had but two residents left. Hov, south of Kirkwall, only three, and Capin's population had been reduced to seven. The population of the whole Orkney group is steadily diminishing.

Some eighty miles north of Tenebriff, the picturesque named Salage lies in the blue Atlantic. Steep, black peaks, and old stone walls, their summits are rounded green hills covered with grass and brush. The sea runs round them in with perilous reefs.

Some time ago treasure-seekers, looking for a fortune of two millions in silver dollars, were digging on a beach of one of these islands in 1864, made a strange discovery. Great masses of old coins, the island of which is now completely deserted, except for the occasional visits of Portuguese fishermen, is criss-crossed with old stone walls, showing that the whole of it was once cut up into small enclosures.

These walls are immensely old, and there is absolutely no record of their builders. The island is so small and barren, it is hard to believe that it could ever have carried any considerable population, yet certainly it was once cultivated.

One explanation is that the Salage are merely the remains of a much larger island, the rest of which has been washed away. Another explanation is that the island was once a part of a much larger island, the rest of which has been washed away.

There is no doubt whatever that this is what has actually happened with regard to that Pacific mystery, Easter Island, with its rows of huge images carved out of stone, each weighing many tons, and its enormous stone statues with old stone faces and made of wonderfully cut slabs of rock.

Some of the statues are seventy feet high, but many are incomplete. There is every evidence that the men who made them were forced suddenly to leave the island, and that the statues were the centre of an empire whose people lived in a ring of stone houses which were overthrown by some tremendous cataclysm.

Of all dead islands the strangest is the island of the Azores. It was thickly wooded with firs, cedars, and other trees. About twelve years ago these trees began to die, and now the once beautiful island is covered with a skeleton forest of dead trees. And no one has ever discovered the reason for this strange devastation.

FATHER OF THE FILMS

Frenchman Actually Produced Films Several Years Before Edison.

Nobody quite knows who was the originator of the cinematograph, but there are several claims for that. The first claim is for a Frenchman named Louis, Alphonse Auguste, who actually produced films several years before Edison.

Le Prince was a huge man. He stood six feet high, and he was broad in proportion. He went to England as a young man, and at Leeds, in 1833, he photographed pictures on glass plates, and he also made a projector. His invention attracted considerable attention, though he was not a commercial success. He was commercially successful, for he came to an untimely and mysterious end. On September 16, 1839, he entered a Paris theatre and was never seen again. His widow always believed he was the victim of foul play and that he was "bumped off" by a man named "Monsieur X."

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Among famous Americans who were partial to the Windsor chair was Thomas Jefferson. On the chair, with wide arms that served as a writing desk, and which also had a book rest, was the first President of the Declaration of Independence.

Children More Cautious.
Children are more cautious in crossing busy thoroughfares than adults are, according to the statistics of road accidents.

HELIUM WILL NOT EXPLODE

U. S. Prohibits Export of Only Gas That Will Ensure Safe Flying.

The recent appalling catastrophe to the giant airship R-101 is the last of a long series of air disasters to aircraft of the lighter-than-air type. Nearly every one of these air disasters has been caused by the use of hydrogen, which has been made of a gas which has long been known to explode.

It is impossible to lift the weight of her hull, her engines, her crew, and her cargo, the envelope of an airship must be filled with a gas that is much lighter than the air. The lightest of all gases is hydrogen, which is easily and cheaply produced. Unfortunately, hydrogen is one of the most inflammable gases known. The smallest spark may suffice to reduce an airship filled with it to a mass of burst and twisted wreckage in a few seconds. Hydrogen, too, forms a violent explosive when mixed with air. So long as airships filled with it are allowed to be used, the most likely way to be the likelihood of disasters.

Apart from the danger of fire due to engine or to the hydrogen itself, there is always the danger that an explosion may be caused by atmospheric electricity. The only way to be found in the use of a gas known as helium. Though helium is ninety-two per cent of its lifting power. Helium is absolutely inert; it will not explode, it will not burn.

Unfortunately, helium is at present so enormously expensive to produce, except in one country, that it is not at all practical to use it. The only country which has unlimited supplies of helium is the United States, where it is obtained from natural springs at a cost of about \$25 per thousand cubic feet. The export of helium from the United States is prohibited, and in no other country can it be made for much less than \$5 per thousand cubic feet.

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TOWN OF DIGBY

Office of Town Clerk and Treasurer

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll for the Town of Digby, upon which the rates will be levied in and for the said town for the present year 1931, has been filed in the office of the undersigned, the town clerk, and that the said roll is open to the inspection of the ratepayers of the town.

And further take notice that any person, firm, company, association or corporation assessed in such roll, who claims that he or it should not be assessed, or who claims that he or it is over-assessed in such roll, may, on or before the tenth day of February next, give notice in writing to the undersigned, the town clerk, that he or it appeals from such assessment in the whole or in part, and shall in such notice state particularly the grounds of objection to such assessment.

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Dated at Digby, Nova Scotia, this twelfth day of January, 1931.

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Town Clerk

CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE—Motor Boat, double ender, 23 feet long; new engine. Also roach and lobster gear—Apply Arnold Turnbull, Bay View 23 31c

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR YOUNG STOCK—2 Horses; 3 sets Horse Sleds; 1 Horse Wagon; 1 Dump Cart; 2 Horse Trucks; 10 Patent Cow Stanchions; 1 Disc Harrow; 1 1926 Ford Truck—Chas. O. Walsh, The Truckman, Weymouth, N. S. 24 21c

CLASSIC CLEANER, useful in any room in the home, three cans for 25 cents—South End Grocery, Telephone 18.

FOR SALE—A 1926 DeForest-Crossley Screen Grid Radio, in perfect condition. Eight screen grid tubes, dynamic speaker, black walnut cabinet. Five of the tubes are new and the others perfect. Sold for \$300 last year; a beautiful machine and a bargain at \$120.—Dakin Bros., Digby. 24 31c

CHICKEN HADDIES, delicious for breakfast or supper, two cans for 35 cents—South End Grocery, Telephone 18.

HOTEL FOR SALE—I have for sale as a going concern, a Hotel in a thriving town in the Valley; sixteen bedrooms; thoroughly furnished throughout, and in good repair, except for a little paint and paper. Present owner has carried it over about thirty years. Only hotel in the town, and does a good business, which could be increased. Part of purchase price may remain on mortgage.—J. J. Wallis, Digby.

WATCH AND CLOCK REPAIRING—Send your time pieces for satisfactory repairs. Special attention paid to Phonograph repairs; spring for all makes on hand. All work guaranteed.—Chas. D. Greene, Box 135, Annapolis Royal, N. S. 8 11c

BROKEN ORANGE PEKOR TEA, 35 cents per pound; 3 pounds for \$1.00—South End Grocery, Telephone 18. 23 11c

FIRST-CLASS Watch and Clock Repairing at Bear River—Over 15 years' experience. We pay return postage on Watches sent by mail. All work guaranteed.—S. G. Parker, Bear River, N. S. 17 11c

PEANUT BUTTER, healthful and invigorating for the children, two jars for 31 cents—South End Grocery, Telephone 18.

MEN AND WOMEN—Steady, profitable employment, weekly wages, our universally known, guaranteed quality Trees and Planes—Newest and best varieties. There is good money in it for you. Illustrated up-to-the-minute equipment. Real sales co-operation.—Write Luke Brothers Nurseries, Montreal.

WHY NOT GET RID OF SUPERFLUOUS HAIR, by the Electric Needle, without pain or scars. Results are permanent. Consultation free.—Mrs. J. A. Richard, 1 Cburg St. Phone John, N. B. Phone Dial 2540.

Some Reasons Why

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who will cry blue ruin should the county spend money in a good investment for the people's benefit. We had disgraced fault-finding in our local paper during the drought when all over the country many defer to hydro systems had to resort to steam plants to generate power. The Digby County Power Board also had to resort to steam to supply the consumer, so that they could take advantage of the dry season to put in important dams, and other repairs, as well as install a new and larger generator on the Sissiboo River. Of course some people will kick a man when he is down, but to suggest that the resignation of one member of the Power Board would be welcome, sounded like paid propaganda, and may have been from some person or persons who had possibly tried and failed to bribe this same member into selling out rights which are the natural inheritance and birthright of the citizens of Digby County. Rights which are no doubt the biggest asset this county has or ever will have.

The members of the Digby County Power Board, without pay, and with very little thanks from the public in general, have built up our wonderful hydro system practically through our county. An asset for Digby County worth millions today. Every detail that required skill, the best engineers were employed to deal with, thus leaving no room for fault-finding excepting by those who may be paid or employed to spread propaganda.

I do not think our hydro system will pass out of our hands even if some have said they would have our rights yet. Our people are not all asleep, some of us know that even eight thousand horsepower used for light, power, and heat, should average up, even at a very low rate, to about twenty-five dollars per horsepower annually, totalling two hundred thousand dollars annually. Take away from this annual income say fifty thousand dollars annually for sinking fund, depreciation, interest, overhead, etc., and you would have one hundred and fifty thousand dollars left which is the interest on three million dollars at 5 per cent.

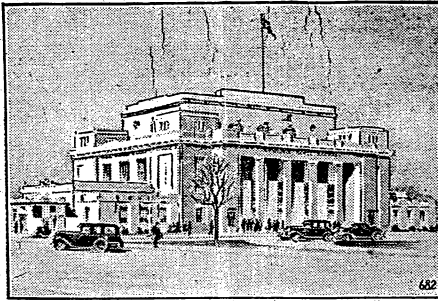
I am well aware that any company who could gain possession of our system today would not part with it to-morrow for two million dollars, and not at three million dollars in ten years' time. It is the big dividend they are after, not only for one year, but annually, for ever.

Our system will soon be a big winner. Now that a number of dams have been put in shape, now that we have two generators, one at each falls, we are no doubt past our trouble stage. And, as the demand for power increases, more dams and larger generators can be installed. Hydro is our drawing card. We want industries. It is because of our hydro that the electric furnaces for fusing purposes may be built in Digby County. If they are built here they will require nearly fifteen hundred horsepower. It should not be long before all of seven to ten thousand horsepower is utilized by new industries that should come to a power development which we now have the rights of. A gradual growth for Digby County in the years immediately ahead. If we turn to look at hydro and larger developments of hydro in other provinces we see many thousands of horsepower are contracted for even before the development has been completed. We need not fear that ours will not all be needed.

Our system is already paying its own way. Even in the short time which hydro has been installed in this county the rate in the town of Digby has been reduced to about half. Yet some may not be satisfied, and probably would not be if the rate was cut to two cents per kilowatt hour. The reductions in rates will come as fast as possible.

I am sure that no citizen of Digby would be a party to the sale or transfer of our hydro system, franchise or river rights, unless that person has been bribed to do so. Do you suppose that the Nova Scotia Power Commission will want our system when they know that it must always be a separate unit, and that any electricity generated in this system cannot be taken out of the county for a longer period than it is not required in the county; and that the cost of operating must never be greater than our local hydro board can do it for; and that all benefit of sales of current shall go to the credit of the system, and shall all be for the benefit of the users of electricity in Digby County only; and no burden of any other system shall be chargeable to this system? The Nova Scotia Power Commission, or any other person or persons could not and would not agree to fill the above conditions, and even if they should agree, why should we hand over control of such a valuable right

New C.P.R. Station at Montreal



Costing well over \$500,000, with a frontage of 224 feet, a depth of 87 and maximum height of 55 feet in three stories, the new Canadian Pacific Park Avenue station in the north end of Montreal, contract for which has just been let, is slated for completion by October of this year. It will be of combined classical and modern architecture of stone and marble construction and will be a very handsome addition to a part of the city which of late years has grown into one of the finest residential sections of any city in the Dominion. The new station will be approached through an ornamental garden which will be circled, anti-clockwise, by vehicular traffic and there will also be a side entrance from a new north-and-south street for passengers arriving or leaving by tramcars. It will afford additional service to residents of the northern sections of Montreal, and is evidence of the ever-growing traffic on the railway from and to the city into the Place Vigor station and to the Laurentian district. Photograph shows architect's drawing of the new station as it will appear when completed.

SCOUT NEWS



Come On Out!

The meeting opened with the salute in the horseshoe. After the opening a debate on "Resolved: That Crows Should be Killed," was held. It was won by the Bear Patrol, (the negative).

Many of the boys left to go skating, thus losing points for their respective patrols, and the remaining Scouts played a rousing game of basketball. The meeting closed with the Lord's Prayer and the salute in the horseshoe.

There was a good attendance at the Wolf Cub meeting held before the Scout meeting.

Municipal Council Turns Down the Proposition.

Yesterday the following resolution was unanimously passed by the Digby Municipal Council, in session at the Court House, in regard to the proposed merger, in which the Digby County Power Board would "hook up" with other lines in the Annapolis Valley. This proposal was made to the council by Harold S. Johnson, representing the Nova Scotia Power Commission. The Council's resolution, which was moved by Councillor Hillman and seconded by Councillor Fitzgerald, read as follows: "That in the opinion of this Council it would not be in the best interests of the County of Digby to enter into any negotiations at the present time with the Nova Scotia Power Commission for the sale or transfer of the generating plant, or any of the rights or privileges in connection with the Digby County Hydro Electric system, and the representative of the Municipal Council on the Digby County Power Board be made acquainted with our decision."

We Are One Step Ahead.

The back page of "Busy East" this month bears an advertisement of one of the largest and best known printing firms in the Maritime Provinces. This company is advertising the fact that they have installed a Heidelberg Automatic Job Press as part of their equipment. Well, they have nothing on us. The Wallis Print installed one of these same machines almost a year and a half ago, and if you have not seen it running you have missed seeing one of the most ingenious pieces of machinery of the age. Some of these days when you are down street, take a trip along the "alley" and visit our modern little printing plant. Mac, Harry, or "J. J." are always glad to show you around and demonstrate the machinery for you.

on promises and hopes which could never be fulfilled. I think it is time that we people of Digby County should do less fault-finding and get together and boost our own county, and our own resources, for we have ample reason to be proud of our many and varied resources, one of the most valuable of which is our own HYDRO DEVELOPMENT, which we are asked to hand over control of. Let us keep it for ourselves, our children, and for the future benefit of our county.

G. W. WIGHTMAN
Digby, Nova Scotia.
January 12, 1931

PRINCE Took Off Long Time to Win "Outlaw," But Kindness Finally Won Out.

Once, some years ago, had brought home (with two helpers) a horse he had bought for a very small sum, because it was considered by every one too dangerous for a man to try to ride him to say nothing of a woman's attempting it. He told me very plainly when the animal was brought home to "keep away from it!" Some considered him a killer, though he had never as yet actually killed any one. I was told that any time the horse was loose in the pasture, not to go near the gate, writes Mary E. Harlan, in Humane Pleading.

I couldn't sleep that night—in fact, my plans were being made. I knew I would never be satisfied until I could ride that horse. It became the biggest thing in my life, and I was always trying (when I was away) to make friends. Nothing was to be done. I just let that horse once get the scent of a human being and he would go wild. It was quite plain he had been at the barn, and I was told that at times one would think he was trying to tear the barn down.

And I loved that horse! His spirit—even the very wildness of him—how I loved that beautiful thing! When he saw me approach he tried to tear that whole fence down. I kept close—so slowly that he hardly knew I was moving—and I was singing soft and low all the time not seeming to take any notice. At last I was near enough to touch him. Still I sang on, and very slowly raised my hand with a piece of apple, and let him know I was not afraid. I tried to force it on him for I could see he was scared so badly he was trembling all over. At last he reached for the apple, and I didn't move my hand—just let him take it by himself.

After what seemed like hours, I managed at last to get his foot loose. When he realized his freedom he ran to the far side of the field, snorting and pawing the earth—then looked back at me. I moved, and still continued in the place where he had left me. After many times of starting toward me, he approached in motion as I had approached him. He came at last to the fence, snort and sniffed the air, and finally thrust his nose toward me. I kept perfectly still and pushed his nose further in my direction. But when I reached my hand toward him, he quickly turned, and was away at the far side of the field again.

I moved closer to the fence—in fact, leaned against it. He came back again, this time so close he could touch me with his nose—and he did! For a long time he sniffed around me. Who can read a horse's mind or know how they reason things out? I'll always believe that then and there Prince decided that I was his friend, and he didn't hurt him, as had been the case in the past when a man came near. No woman very few men had been near him, and he was afraid of all treatment when men were about. From that time on things were easier, and it wasn't long before he let me put a bridle on him. After that, the saddle, I have never in my whole life been happier over anything than the day when I saw him the first time on my "outlaw." That night I told that everything from the beginning, and he said he might have known when he brought the horse home that I would be killed by him. He still didn't believe me, but the next morning the news spread and I saddled and rode Prince before an audience that had to be shown!

After that I rode Prince at different State Fairs, and carried away the blue ribbon time and time again. The British Mace. The present Mace in the British House of Commons dates from the Restoration, and was supplied pursuant to an order of the House, dated May 21, 1659. It was made by Mr. Thomas Maynard, a London goldsmith, and cost approximately \$732.

It is made always lie upon the table when the House is constituted with the Speaker in the chair. When the House goes into committee the Mace is placed on two supports below the table to show that the House is not properly constituted. After the election of a new Parliament, before the Speaker has been chosen, the Mace is also kept under the table, upon which it is placed as when the election of a Speaker is properly constituted. It is lent to the Speaker by the Sovereign, who resumes possession of it when Parliament is prorogued.

Peanuts as Ship Fuel. Peanuts were used as fuel to save the British freighter Huron from destruction in a hurricane in the Bay of Biscay, near Australia. When the ship arrived at Brisbane, Australia, the chief officer said that after the ship's coal stores were used up, woodwork had been used in a battle against headwinds and mountainous seas, four tons of peanuts were taken from the hold and fed into the furnaces to keep the ship moving.

N. S. School Clubs Growing. Since the inauguration of the movement in 1925, the number of girls' and boys' school clubs in Nova Scotia has grown from 25 to 140, while membership has increased from 450 to 2,500.

Gets Meat From Argentine. Britain receives about half her meat supply from the Argentine. Hospital Sewing Circle Starts Next Wednesday. The first Hospital Sewing Circle and Ten-Cent tea of the season, will be held at the home of Mrs. DuVerne, on Wednesday afternoon of next week, at 3 o'clock. If possible will the members kindly bring a piece of work to start the circle.

Personal Mention

Mrs. T. E. G. Lynch went to Halifax this week. Capt. and Mrs. Ansel Snow left on Tuesday on a visit to Boston. R. W. E. Landry, of Yarmouth, was a visitor in town last Friday. Mrs. Charles Harris, of Bear River, is the guest of Mrs. James M. Keen. Capt. George Morrell was a passenger to Halifax on Wednesday on a business trip.

Mrs. H. S. Hoyt, of Weymouth, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Titus last Friday. Mrs. Milton Turnbull has returned home from the Digby General Hospital, much improved in health. Mrs. Eugene Morrell arrived in Digby on Wednesday and is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. H. M. Warne. Miss Frances Appleby left yesterday for Windsor, where she will attend the Edgelynn School for Girls.

Mrs. (Rev.) E. W. Forbes attended the United Church Missionary Society meeting at Berwick this week. Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Webber left on Tuesday on a trip to Boston, where they will visit friends and relatives. Richard Ellis, who has been spending some time with his family here, has returned to Boston where he is employed.

Miss Isabelle Williams, of the Fisheries office, returned from a trip to her old home in Shelburne on Saturday.

Rev. J. A. Appleby, who has been spending his vacation in town, returned to his duties in the United States last Friday.

Capt. and Mrs. Lane, who spent Christmas with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Titus, left on Friday last for Florida to spend the remainder of the winter.

Mrs. (Rev.) A. A. Stott, of Minto, N. B., formerly of Westport, is a patient in the Victoria Hospital, Fredericton, having undergone a serious operation. She is doing as well as can be expected.

No wonder that Nova Scotia people have so much confidence in Morse's Tea when in sixty years it has never once failed to give satisfaction.

Dancing every Wednesday night, in Barton Hall. Traps, accompanied by piano and harp. 24 21c

Killed in Norfolk, Virginia.

E. M. Robertson received a wire yesterday noon announcing that his son-in-law, Clarence C. Allen, had been killed in an accident in Norfolk, Virginia, Wednesday night. There were no details.

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PRICELESS GOLDEN TREASURE SAID TO LIE NEATH TIDE

With the discovery of several old golden coins on the shores of Trout Cove in the Bay of Fundy, comes the revival of an old tale of 99 years ago this month, when the rising tides and cruel reefs of old Fundy claimed the brig Hiram which ended its romantic career at Trout Cove on January 12th, 1832. The Hiram was from New York for Bermuda and part of her cargo was a consignment of English and Spanish gold pieces which were the profits of several years trading in the West Indies.

Trout Cove was a lonely and desolate spot. There was but one fisherman's cot in the little cove, and it was a very poor and humble dwelling. In a blizzard the Hiram struck and all the seamanship of her captain and crew could not save her. Within a few feet of the shore, wind driven she impaled herself on a pinnacle of rock and the seas began to break over her.

The crew swam ashore. They forgot the valuable cargo that was in the breaking vessel. They all reached shore safely. But the captain filled a bag with gold pieces and tied it around his waist before he left the ship. The weight of gold carried him down and not all his efforts could save him. He could neither free himself of the heavy bag to keep his head above water. So he drowned in sight of safety.

The sailors somehow were gathered in the fisherman's cot and in the days that followed when the storms had ceased the fisherman and his family searched the shores and reefs of the bay, and rumor has it, they found a great portion of the golden cargo, but they never found the gold weighed body of the captain of which perhaps still keeps watch, a fleshless skeleton over the gold which caused his death. The fisherman

Centreville Boy Married in Saskatchewan.

A very pretty wedding took place at Rosetown, Saskatchewan, on Wednesday, December 31st, when Miss Jean Marion Lawrence, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Lawrence, became the bride of Reginald Shaw, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shaw, of Centreville, in this county. The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, entered the room to the strains of the wedding march, played by Mrs. C. Merrick, sister of the groom.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, entered the room to the strains of the wedding march, played by Mrs. C. Merrick, sister of the groom. She wore a handsome gown of cream satin trimmed with gold and silk net, and carried a bouquet of blush roses. After the service had been read by Rev. F. Ball, Pastor of the United Church of Canada, a wedding breakfast was served, and the bride and groom left on the C. P. R. train for Moose Jaw, the bride travelling in a smart costume of blue crepe with hat to match. After a short visit to Moose Jaw they returned to Neidpath where Mr. Shaw has very successfully held the position as principal of the school for the past three years. Mrs. Shaw is also a valued member of the teaching profession.

Upon the arrival in Neidpath they were tendered a reception in the hall. The large gathering and the beautiful collection of gifts testified to the esteem in which the young couple are held. They have a wide circle of friends who will join in wishing them a happy and prosperous wedded life.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Eldridge are visiting in Sandy Cove.

and his family soon afterwards left the coast and purchased a fertile farm far from the sea. The family became prosperous and their descendants still reside in Nova Scotia.

Fishermen of the Fundy shore still believe that a priceless treasure in old gold coins still lies beneath the low tide mark at Trout cove.

Man's Skeleton Is Found Near Jackson's Crossing

Lemert Hudgins Makes Gruesome Discovery While Out Gunning

Bullet Hole in Skull Shows that Unfortunate Man Was Undoubtedly a Victim of Foul Play.

Digby people are puzzling over one of the greatest mysteries in years. Late Wednesday afternoon, while rabbit shooting, in the woods near Jackson's Crossing, on the Neck Road, Lemert Hudgins, a local painter and paper hanger, made the gruesome discovery of a human skull and other human bones. He also found the top of a man's boot and a few remnants of clothing.

As soon as possible he notified Chief of Police Cowan, who, in turn, notified Stanley A. Keen, a local coroner. At the time the information was received darkness was coming on and it was impossible to make further investigation that day.

Early yesterday morning Coroner Keen, with his assistant, Dominic Melanson, Sheriff Heber Bishop, Lemert Hudgins, and a representative from the Courier, visited the scene, where they found things Hudgins had reported. The articles of clothing were some distance from the remains, which were scattered hither and thither, where they had been dragged by dogs or other animals. These were all frozen so fast to the ground that it was impossible to carry on an investigation until utensils for heating water, with which to thaw out the remains, were taken to the scene.

In the afternoon, on re-visiting the scene in company with Officer Rene Landry, of the Provincial Police Force, and Dr. E. DuVernet, a more thorough investigation was made. On examination of the skull a bullet hole was discovered just above the right ear—a clean hole, apparently made by a 32 something about that calibre. Search was made as far as possible for a weapon, but nothing was found. Of course it is impossible to tell whether it was a case of murder or suicide, but every indication points to the murder theory.

The investigators also found the remains of a pair of heavy work boots, similar to the type known as "army boots", about size 8. Among the tattered remnants of the clothing was found the sum of \$1.66 in change—one half-dollar, four quarters, one ten-cent piece, one five-cent piece and one copper. The dates on these coins ranged all the way from 1882 to 1913, which strongly points to the fact that it was not until some time after 1913 that the tragedy took place. A watch chain, with a padlock key on one end and a horseshoe charm on the other were also found, but nothing was uncovered that threw any light as to the man's identity. Public opinion is that the remains are those of William Tebo, a deaf mute ("Deaf and Dumb Tebo") as he is locally spoken of, who mysteriously disappeared some twelve or fifteen years ago.

Business Meeting of Deep Brook Baptist Church

The annual business meeting of the Deep Brook United Baptist church was held on Friday evening last. The pastor, Rev. H. W. Habel, conducted the meeting. Reports from the Treasurer, Mrs. J. M. Nichols, and from Mrs. Augustus Purdy, treasurer of the denominational funds, were both encouraging. All organizations in connection with the church gave good reports of the work accomplished during the year. \$35 was raised for the "Keeping Faith" fund. The parsonage and church have both been painted on the outside, and general repairs attended to inside. Mrs. J. M. Nichols was re-elected treasurer and Mrs. Carl Nichols clerk.

Popular Digby Couple Married on Tuesday

A very quiet wedding was solemnized in the St. Patrick's Church, on Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock, when Evelyn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. MacNutt, became the bride of Frederick Muise, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Muise. The bride and groom were attended by the sister and brother of the bride, Mrs. Roy Snow and Donald MacNutt. The happy couple will reside in Digby and their many friends extend to them every good wish for the future.

Won This Week's Prize For Bowling.

William Comeau, of Weymouth, won the highest weekly score at the Weymouth Bowling Academy last week.

Mass In St. Patrick's On Sunday

Mass will be celebrated in St. Patrick's Church on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, by Rev. Father Murphy.

Personal Mention

Miss Ruddock was a visitor in Granville Ferry last week. Dr. and Mrs. Rice, of Sandy Cove, were in town on Wednesday.

Mrs. H. S. Hoyt, of Weymouth, was a visitor in town on Monday. Capt. L. F. Barkhouse, of Westport, was in town on Monday on a business trip.

Miss Wilda Davis left last week for Saint John, where she will spend several weeks.

Mrs. Bernard Morse, of Vancouver, is making an extended visit to her mother, in Sandy Cove.

Mrs. James Merkle had the misfortune to meet with a painful accident recently, while motoring.

Rev. Father Murphy, the new rector of St. Patrick's, was here on Monday calling on his parishioners.

Mrs. S. A. Cossaboom is spending the week end in Smith's Cove, the guest of Mrs. MacNaughton.

Malcolm MacIntyre, who has been in Digby for some time, employed on the new pier, returned to Halifax this week.

J. A. Russell, resident architect, of Halifax, was here on Friday inspecting the work being done on the public building.

Mrs. Fred Graham left on Tuesday for Boston accompanied by her nephew, "Billy" Pierce, who will undergo a medical examination.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Wright, accompanied by Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Dickie, left on Tuesday for Boston, en route to Florida to spend several weeks. They are travelling by motor.

Digby Board of Trade Holds Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Digby Board of Trade was held in the Council chamber on Tuesday evening, and was quite well attended. Beyond the appointment of officers and committees no business of importance was done. Civic affairs were talked over informally but only in a general way.

The new officers and committees are as follows:

President—M. C. Denton. Vice-President—R. H. Lockward. Secretary-Treasurer—F. W. Nichols.

Assistant Secretary—E. J. Theriault.

Council—A. R. Turnbull, G. W. Connell, T. E. G. Lynch, H. M. Warne, F. L. Anderson, Dr. DuVernet, H. J. Campbell, and H. F. Williams.

Auditors—Alfred Boden and R. H. Lockward.

Swearing-in Committee—F. R. Eisner, Fritz Dakin, A. J. Dillon and J. M. Wallis and F. K. Hayden.

Tourist and Publicity—J. J. Wallis, E. J. Theriault, G. H. Church, G. W. Connell, and C. J. Eldridge.

Transportation and Industrial—Dr. W. R. Dickie, H. T. Warne, T. E. G. Lynch, Geo. C. Cardoza, and C. F. MacBride.

Civic Advisory Committee—The President, and A. J. Dillon and C. J. Eldridge.

Sports—F. L. Anderson, Fritz Dakin, J. M. Wallis, O. Wright and Dr. Turnbull.

Trinity's Annual Meeting; Services for Sunday

The annual meeting of the parishioners of Trinity Church was held in the Parish Hall, on Monday of this week. The report of the Warden and Vestry showed that the parish was in good standing financially. Sympathetic regret was expressed in the loss by death of three loyal members—Dr. Tobin, Mrs. Jones and Miss Ella Burnham. The wardens and vestry elected for the year 1931 are as follows:

Wardens—A. D. Daley and R. H. Lockward.

Vestry—T. E. G. Lynch, Fritz Dakin, Alfred Boden, Dr. DuVernet, James Casswell, George Cardoza, Stanley Keen, Garfield Hayden, and Dr. Victor Turnbull.

Services on Sunday will be as follows:

8 a. m.—Holy Communion. 11 a. m.—Matins and Sermon. 3 p. m.—Evensong at Marshalltown.

7 p. m.—Evensong and Sermon. The special music on Sunday will include Te Deum Laudamus by W. A. Staples, and an anthem, "O Worship the King" by E. S. Barnes.

All members of the choir are urged to attend practice tonight at 8 o'clock.

Members of the Bible Class will meet at the Parish Hall tomorrow afternoon, at 2.30. The class plans a hike to the Church Glebe Lands on the Digby Neck road, and enjoy a "waffle fry" in the open.

Mrs. John Larche Died On Friday

There passed away at her home in Digby, on Friday last, Mrs. Mary J. Larche, at the age of 82 years. She is survived by her husband and two sons, Frank Larche, of Digby, and Roy W. Larche, of Oakland, Cal.; and four sisters, Mrs. Wm. Howe, of St. Cloud, Minn.; Mrs. Leo Croonquest, of Morgan Hill, Cal.; Mrs. James Coyne, St. Paul, Minn.; and Mrs. Frank Carney, of St. Paul, Minn.

Morse's Tea set best, because they are best known; and known as the best.

V. O. N. Made Good At Pantry Sale

The receipts from the Tea and Pantry Sale, which was held last Saturday for the benefit of the V. O. N., amounted to \$27.

Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Gilliland Observe Golden Wedding.

Fifty years ago, December 20, Miss Marie Peters became the bride of Caleb A. Gilliland, at a quiet wedding in the town of Digby, the ceremony being performed by Rev. J. C. Morse, of the Digby Neck Baptist Church. On the same date in 1930 the happy couple celebrated their golden wedding anniversary, at their home, 128 North Street, Salem, Mass., by entertaining friends and relatives during the afternoon, and being hosts in the evening to members of the family at a reunion dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Gilliland have lived in Salem the past quarter of a century. Mr. Gilliland being a leather worker with the Morrill Leather Company, of Peabody, for the past eighteen years. He is still employed. Both he and his wife are in excellent health, despite the fact that he is 74 and she is 72 years of age. The couple also have eight grandchildren. Mrs. Gilliland has two sisters, Mrs. J. A. Cossaboom, of Melrose, and Mrs. Thomas J. Gibbons, of Roxville. Mr. Gilliland has one sister, Mrs. Boyd A. Sabean, of Peabody, and a brother, Edward, of Danvers, Mass.

Former Resident of Barton Dies In West

Mrs. J. Playne Jensen, widow of Evan Jensen, died very suddenly on Saturday, Jan. 10, at the Innisfail Hospital, Innisfail, Alberta. Mrs. Jensen was born at Bishop's Stortford, England, 47 years ago, and came to Canada with her parents when a child. The family lived in and near Innisfail for a great many years, and then moved to Nova Scotia and settled in Brighton, Digby County. They also lived in Weymouth for a time, but after that resided in Barton. When Mrs. Jensen was married she and her husband made their home at Innisfail, and after the death of her father, William Playne, Mrs. Playne went to live with Mrs. Jensen. The deceased is survived by her mother, Mrs. W. Playne, of Innisfail; three brothers, Bert Playne and William Playne, of Drumheller, and Archie Playne, of Cranbrook, Alberta; also one sister, Mrs. S. P. Freeman, of Barton. Interment took place at Innisfail.

NEW TUSKET

Miss Edith Gaudett, of Ohio, spent a few days recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Gaudett.

Judson Hurlbert and John Gavel, of Kemptonville, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Sabean. Mildred McCullough returned to Riverdale on Monday, after spending the past ten days at her home here.

Dwight Sabean spent the week-end at his home here. Gracie Gaudett spent a few days of last week with her friend, Edith Gaudett, in Ohio.

Freddie Dakin, of Centreville, and Donald Walker, of Watford, spent Tuesday night at the home of C. F. Sabean.

Alphonse Thibeau spent the week-end with friends here. Stanley Sabine spent the week-end at his home here, returning to his work in Bear River, Sunday evening.

Miss Lois Ring has returned to Massachusetts to resume her duties as nurse.

Miss Wilhelmina Thurber has been spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Warren Grey, at Kemptonville.

Miss Ethel Purdy entertained the Bridge Club on Friday evening last.

On Wednesday evening last, after the mid-week prayer meeting, Rev. A. W. Akerley held a half-hour period of Bible study in the New Testament, continuing the Teachers' Training courses, begun here by Rev. Dr. Greenwood.

On Sunday evening, after the usual service, a "sing" was enjoyed by the young people of our town at Miss Evelyn Finigan's.

Mrs. R. E. Morrell has been ill during the past week.

LIFE SAVING BOATS GO TO RESCUE OF CREWS

Captain Harry Raymond and his crew from the life-saving station at Bay View, took two boats off the shore there on Monday. The scallop boats were out when a strong gale blew up suddenly about five o'clock accompanied by a blinding snow storm. The two scallop boats rescued, contained seven men. The first boat to go ashore was that of Captain Bernard Longmire, Hillsburn, Annapolis County, which went ashore at Centenary's Point, just inside Digby Cut. A call was sent to the life-saving boat which put out and rescued the four men aboard and towed the boat in to Digby.

About 7 p. m. the scallop boat Lena R., Captain Cecil Hudson, went ashore at Turners Eddy, just inside Point Prim, with three men on board. The men got ashore and walked to Digby, the life-saving boat getting the Lena R. afloat and towed her in.

While taking the Lena R. to Digby, the scallop boat of Captain Casey, Victoria Beach, coming into port, developed engine trouble just off the life-saving station. Before the boat got back to assist him, Captain Casey succeeded in getting his engine started and made his home port safely.

Freeport B. Y. P. U. Spends Enjoyable Evening

The B. Y. P. U., of Freeport, held their monthly social on Friday evening last. Everyone agreed that they had had an exceptionally good time. The group began their evening with a short devotional period after which the following programme was given:

Opening Chorus. Solo—"Moonlight on the Colorado"—Miss J. M. Thurber. Dialogue—"The Beauty Doctor"—Misses Jennie Thurber and Evelyn Finigan.

Reading—"Lochinvar"—Miss Mildred Thurber. Trio—"Reynold Hains, Randall Prime, Bradford Finigan."

Game—"Ask Me Another." Mixed Quartette—"Master, the Tempest is Raging". No-Vowel Spelling Match.

Following this Clam Chowder was served, then a period of old-time singing closed the evening.

FREEPORT

Miss Lois Ring has returned to Massachusetts to resume her duties as nurse.

Miss Wilhelmina Thurber has been spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Warren Grey, at Kemptonville.

Miss Ethel Purdy entertained the Bridge Club on Friday evening last.

On Wednesday evening last, after the mid-week prayer meeting, Rev. A. W. Akerley held a half-hour period of Bible study in the New Testament, continuing the Teachers' Training courses, begun here by Rev. Dr. Greenwood.

On Sunday evening, after the usual service, a "sing" was enjoyed by the young people of our town at Miss Evelyn Finigan's.

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RADIO TRASH

(The Hanna Herald, Hanna, Alta.)

Throughout Canada there is an ever-increasing demand for better radio programs and less of the drivel which filters out of the loud speaker these days. In the cities especially, there are people who actually refrain from 'tuning in' their sets, because of the lack of appealing programs on the air. Instead of hearing something to their liking they are surfeited with trashy propaganda designed to increase the popularity of a certain brand of lipstick, a certain dairy milk, or the urge to gargle one's throat with a patent colored liquid 'sold at all good druggists.' Recently, a radio fan wrote to his local newspaper and found the following faults with radio operation:

Poor singers.
Poor choice of songs.
Too much 'kidding' stuff which is supposed to be funny, but seldom is.

Constant repetition of the same threadbare but supposedly funny numbers, particularly of the super-jazz type.

Lastly, but far from least, too much direct advertising of the cheap, unconvincing type, regarding somebody's bargains, or certain products of the market.

That there is far too much of such drivel coming over the radio these days, cannot be denied. In some points, located in areas served by a number of broadcasting stations, it is often with great difficulty that one can pick out a programme of appealing interest, or tune out the balderdash about hair restoratives, mouth hygiene, or the hundred and one other subjects of radio advertising. Little originality is shown in the advertising which hundreds of thousands of dollars are being spent. It is the same old stereotyped stuff and is losing its appeal.

Those who have invested heavily in the radio enterprise should begin to wake up. The public is becoming less and less appreciative of present radio programs and, unless an improvement in programs comes, it is only going to be a matter of time until the receiving set will be relegated to the position of the old-time phonograph, now seldom brought into play.

NOT AN UNMIXED EVIL

Commenting on the fact that the past year was rather poor in the fishing business the Lunenburg Progress-Enterprise says that usually after bad years "our people flock to the United States but things are as bad or worse in that country, besides the American immigration laws are tightening up so as to protect their own citizens and relieve unemployment. For people, therefore, must face the conditions whatever they be at home. This means a more united and determined effort, as necessity is the mother of invention and a resourceful people will usually find a way out. Further, in the United States wages have been reduced, this has not happened in Lunenburg and there is very little unemployment.

"1931 will likely be a year of low prices in the cost of living. This will tend to alleviate the situation. Taxes and rents always seem to climb and business depression usually brings increased taxes, so that economy in public affairs is now a matter of necessity, vital to commercial success as taxes are a first lien on industry. The slogan for 1931 should be work and save. It always brings results."

HARD TIMES

(Estevan, Sask., Mercury)

An appropriate theme to think upon is the undeniable fact that the times are hard for only those who think them so. A very small proportion, probably about ten per cent. of the people, are really feeling the pinch of adverse conditions. For the remaining ninety per cent. conditions were never better, did they but think so. The wage scale

has not been materially lowered and, owing to reductions in selling values of necessary commodities, the dollar has a great value enhanced purchasing power. This is a time, not for hoarding money and looking ahead fearfully, but for liberal buying and the confident outlook. Since the beginning of time there have been recurring periods of weakness, confidence, but with the society that day follows night, they have been succeeded by a wave of restored confidence and courage. The many who continue to enjoy good times, have a duty toward the few who are in the grip of adversity. That duty is to refrain from talking or thinking hard times, and to spend wisely but liberally so that their prosperity may radiate prosperity.

LOOK FOR ELECTION IN BRITAIN SOON

Baldwin Tells Supporters
Result is Certain, Despite the Liberals

While British politics are showing the effects of the holidays, nevertheless there is an indication that the forthcoming session will provide plenty of excitement.

Mr. Baldwin's New Year message in a Conservative journal says: "When a general election comes we shall be returned to power despite the Liberal plot to keep the Socialists in power. I am of the opinion that this will not be long delayed. And we shall make an immediate beginning on a thorough-going policy designed to help national recovery by introducing an emergency tariff for the protection of manufacturing and to give the British farmers a guaranteed price and market. We shall promote the development of Empire trade worked out on a quota scheme which in our view, will give the Dominions all they want by way of securing a market for their wheat."

Addressing a meeting of the Primrose League, the ex-Premier said that at the general election the Conservatives will be returned with a mandate to carry out a great national and Imperial policy with work and wages as the fundamental basis. There is considerable stir over the rumor that Mr. Baldwin might succeed Lord Willingdon in the Governor-Generalship of Canada, and while official Conservative circles pooh-pooh the idea on the ground that Mr. Baldwin is fully engaged until summer time and also cannot afford it financially, much stranger things have happened in the past. The appointment is more possible now that the Dominions have full rights of recommendation of the Governor-General without consultation with British ministers.

Critics of Lloyd George Mr. Lloyd George's intention to maintain Labor in power in order to obtain the alternative vote is arousing growing criticism as an inherently immoral bargain behind the backs of the electors.

Numerous letters in the papers bitterly condemn Liberal tactics and are signed by people of allegedly lifelong association with the Liberal party. One writer says: "I submit that the choice of a government should rest with the electors of Great Britain, and the retention of office by an admittedly incapable administration is no longer a matter which should depend upon the decision of the leader of the Liberal party."

Lord Buckmaster has joined with Sir John Simon and other leading Liberals in denunciation of the Government's Trades Union Bill.

Meantime Liberal and Labor contact is apparently wearing thin, with Mr. Lloyd George pungently denouncing one or other Minister as incapable and asking Premier MacDonald if he has not a man big enough to co-ordinate ministerial policy and compel the different departments to fall in line.

Rt. Hon. Vernon Hartshorn in turn challenges Liberal statements as incorrect and exaggerated, and the Daily Herald carries the following comment: "New Threat by Lloyd George. Hint that He May Turn Out the Ministry Unless... and quoting Lloyd George's declaration: 'Liberals wish to give the Government another chance of pulling together, but unless they do so, with the best will in the world for their continuance in office they cannot be kept there much longer by any Parliament with a sense of responsibility.' It is stated in the Liberal press that unless the government im-

mediately accepts some of the Liberal unemployment schemes that party will propose a vote of censure motion in the House of Commons upon unemployment economy. As Conservatives will probably support any censure motion, this suggests another crisis early in the New Year.



Weak After Operation

"After having an operation, I was very miserable, weak, nervous and very near unable to work. I saw Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound advertised and tried it and believe it helped me wonderfully. I have no weak spells any more, the pains have left me and my nerves are much better. I feel safe in saying Lydia E. Pinkham's medicines have helped me wonderfully."—Mrs. Wm. H. Bechler, Box 143, Port Colborne, Ontario.

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Labor is making play with the world crisis as almost the sole cause of the British situation and Free Traders are ignoring the latest Indian and Chinese tariffs.

J. A. Spender comments on the situation: "Members of the Government must be praying that by a miraculous dispensation of Providence unemployment figures will slump 300,000 in the next three months. Failing that they may offer a silent prayer that Lloyd George will grow weary of the unemployed, give up politics and go into the City." And he adds: "There is a tang of real contempt in Mr. Lloyd George's letter to the unfortunate Vernon Hartshorn. It is clearly Mr. Lloyd George's view that the government has failed in courage, inspiration and understanding."

ABOUT THINKING

Dr. George P. Cullen, a Nova Scotian, president of Colgate University, and a former president of Acadia University, is a psychologist. He knows something about thinking and thought processes. He says we cannot expect people to think very much or very long at a time, because thinking is the newest and most difficult of the arts.

It isn't that we are too lazy to think or that we lack entirely the ability for concentration. Many of us do not want to think because we do not want to have our inherited and comfortable ideas disturbed. We do not dare to follow truth for fear truth will lead us along rough and unpleasant roads to hard and unpopular conclusions.

BUTCHER, SPARE THAT PIG!

Heavy penalties are imposed in Soviet Russia for killing any live stock capable of reproduction. This law was promulgated by the Central Executive Committee because live stock has not been increasing as rapidly as the government desires. A peasant who violates the law is fined ten times the value of the pigs, cattle or other live stock killed. The kulaks or rich peasant farmers are not only liable to the fine, but their live stock is subject to confiscation and they themselves are liable to imprisonment or exile for two years for a single violation of the law.

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THE HOMING INSTINCT

MYSTERY WHICH SCIENCE HAS YET TO SOLVE.

In the Fall a Bird, Born in Canada, Will Fly Thousands of Miles South and Yet Return to Its Birthplace in the Spring.

Sir Arthur J. Thomson lists the homing instinct among the mysteries which science has yet to solve, writes J. V. McAree in the Toronto Mail and Empire. It is also one of those mysterious things which have always interested the average man as much as they have puzzled him. Most of us are content to believe that in certain animals and birds there is what we call a "sense of direction" which sufficiently explains it. But this is merely giving another name to the puzzle. What produces the sense of direction? We have known it to be highly developed in human beings. Indians have been known to cut out of woods, where white men would perish. This they do only partly, we believe, because of their capacity to note trides invisible to the inexperienced and interpret them aright. In addition there seems to be a certain sense of direction, which prevents them from going north instead of south, though they may approach their goal by way of west and southwest. In some people we have known, this sense has been accompanied by a remarkable memory. We have a friend who could wander out of a hotel in Buenos Ayres in the middle of the night, roam the streets and return to his hotel without having to ask a policeman the way. He can also remember at the end of a two months' trip, in which he has been in a dozen hotels, the number of his room in each of them.

Among the quadrupeds, cats are supposed to have the homing instinct most fully developed. But Sir Arthur says, in John O'London, that they have not been observed sufficiently to establish conditions for the basis of new knowledge. He mentions the case of one which crossed Scotland within a week, having been sent to its new home by rail. On the journey it would be unable to note the course it was taking and store up landmarks to help it on the return journey. Had a scientist been permitted to conduct this experiment his next move would have been to ship the cat back to see if its first return journey had been anything more than a fluke. If the cat proved that it knew where it was going, it would then have been sent a similar distance in another direction, and it might then have been possible to get some clue to its movements by observation. Sir Arthur says, moreover, that many cats show little sense of direction, and the innumerable cases in which cats are lost and never return are evidence of this. So we cannot draw any certain deductions from the single exploit of a cat or the occasional exploits of other cats. In one case, however, it is supposed to have been a wonderful return, investigation showed that the two cats were involved—one that was sent away, and another, which, a few days later wandered back.

Nevertheless there are sufficient recorded instances of cats returning home from considerable distances to convince Sir Arthur that they have a faculty that is rare, or a common faculty highly developed. Investigators have experimented with cats by taking them a distance of two or three miles, to make sure that they would have no visual, olfactory or auditory cues on the cutting journey to a point that was strange to them. Invariably the cats when turned loose pointed immediately to the direction of home.

Bees will home unerringly from a distance of half a mile or more, but there is a mystery in the migration of birds, and this is a mystery that is not yet solved. Why will a bird born in Canada go a thousand miles or thousands of miles south when the summer is over? It certainly has no homing faculty at all. It is by the power of a sight and the sense of smell that insects such as ants and such creatures as crabs can find the way to their homes. But there is a mystery in the migration of birds, and this is a mystery that is not yet solved. Why will a bird born in Canada go a thousand miles or thousands of miles south when the summer is over? It certainly has no homing faculty at all. It is by the power of a sight and the sense of smell that insects such as ants and such creatures as crabs can find the way to their homes. But there is a mystery in the migration of birds, and this is a mystery that is not yet solved. 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YEARLY MEETING OF THE LADIES' AID OF THE UNITED CHURCH

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid was held on Tuesday afternoon of last week, at the home of Mrs. Ralph Purdy, with an attendance of fifteen members. After the regular business was disposed of the reports were read, followed by the election of officers, which resulted as follows:

President—Mrs. Howard Cress
1st Vice-President—Mrs. Elizabeth Schmidt.
2nd Vice-President—Mrs. Richard Baxter.

3rd Vice-President—Mrs. Thaddeus Davidson.
Recording Secretary—Mrs. Harry E. Harris (with Mrs. William Morgan as assistant).

Treasurer—Mrs. Ralph E. Purdy.
Purchasing Committee—Mrs. E. Schmidt, Mrs. Harry Harris, Mrs. R. Baxter, Mrs. Fred Harris.

Entertainment Committee—Mrs. Ralph Purdy, Mrs. Lloyd Sanford, Mrs. W. Morine, Mrs. M. Morgan.
Flower Committee—Three members to be appointed for each month. (January—Mrs. W. Morine, Mrs. L. Sanford, Mrs. C. Henshaw).
Auditor—Mrs. William Morgan.

A programme was then given, as follows:

Reading—"Church Building"—Mrs. W. Morine.
Duet—"Somebody Cares"—Mrs. L. Sanford, Mrs. Harry Harris.
Reading—"Let Us Magnify Our Church"—Mrs. F. Sawdon.

Refreshments were served by the hostess.
(Mrs.) Flo. I. Harris
Recording Secretary

The Secretary's Report
President, Officers and Members:
I beg to submit the following report:

The Ladies' Aid of the United Church of Canada has a membership of 72. Two removals by death during the past year, (called to higher service). The average attendance is from 15 to 30 members at each meeting. On January 18th a pantry sale was held and proceeds amounted to \$22.50. April 5th, pantry sale \$20.21. A garden party on the lawn of F. R. Harris, August 6th brought \$235.93. On December 11th, our chicken supper and sale proceeds were \$31.75. Our Aid Picnic was held at the home of Mrs. Walter Payson on August 19th, with an attendance of 31 members. We have given the men of the church \$114.26 to pay off a loan in the Bank; installed an electric pump in the parsonage at the cost of \$124.70; We have also given the men of the church \$65 towards a parsonage debt; paid a man \$20 for the cleaning of the church; besides other bills. The sick and visiting committee have done a splendid work, making 676 calls during the year, 100 over last year. We need to speak of the Sunshine Bag, for it sure carries its rays of sunshine into the different homes. This year 60 different homes have been blessed by the Sunshine Bag, carrying flowers, fruit and cards. We have raised in the Sunshine Bag \$12.79; paid out \$12.59, and have on hand a balance of 20 cents. Four little puffs and a pair of blankets have been sent to the wee new strangers coming to our town; also pieced and quilted two large quilts for sale. At Christmas nine cheer boxes were trimmed and packed with fruit, candy and nuts, and sent to the sick and shut-ins. Also 12 greeting cards were sent to our absent members. We had a balance of \$275.01 on hand. Have raised \$448.40; paid out, \$507.03. Have a balance of \$207.38 in the Bank. The officers and members have all worked to make 1930 a year of service for the Master.

Respectfully submitted
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Local and Personal

Maurice Benson is still on the sick list.

Harold Reicker, of Digby, was in town on Monday.

B. Gesner, of Yarmouth, was in town over the week end.

Tom Rice, of Halifax; C. Rice of Kentville, were in town recently.

The Baptist Circle met on Tuesday evening with Mrs. W. W. Clarke.

L. Matting and brother, and Mr. Snider, of the telephone line, are in town.

Miss Lois Wentzell, of Maine, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Oakley Banks.

Mrs. J. H. Cunningham entertained the Contract Club on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. H. E. Harris and Mrs. G. Davidson returned from Berwick on Thursday.

Mrs. Harry Andrews and baby returned to her home at Halifax on Friday.

The Ladies' Aid met on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. L. J. Lovett.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Harris entertained at dinner and bridge on Friday evening.

Miss Nancy MacIntyre returned to Edgely School at Windsor on Thursday.

Thomas Guy, representing Eastern Securities, was in town a day or two last week.

Mrs. William Spurr, of Deep Brook, was the guest of Mrs. Harry Harris on Monday.

Mrs. L. M. Butler spent a couple of days in Digby last week, the guest of Mrs. R. H. Lockward.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Roberts, of Marblehead, Mass., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Morine.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Harris entertained at a dinner party on Friday night; covers were laid for eight.

Miss Catherine Desborough, who has been the guest of Mrs. Alfred Porter, returned to Saint John on Friday.

Eber Peck, who cut his foot instead of his leg as stated in last week's Courier, is able to be around again.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Baxter entertained at the tea hour on Sunday evening, the occasion being in honor of their daughter, Eileen.

The little boy of Mrs. Sim Picou was taken to the Victoria General Hospital, at Halifax, on Sunday night. He was accompanied by Fred Harris.

The "Brotherhood" of the United Church, went to Digby on Monday, where they were entertained by the Brotherhood of Grace United Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Morine received word on Wednesday of the death of their five-year-old niece, Elsie May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lohnes, of Maitland Bridge.

The little four-year-old boy of Ernest G. Davis was rushed to the Digby Hospital on Thursday and operated on for appendicitis. The little fellow is doing as well as can be expected.

Mrs. Harvey Marshall is able to be out again after her recent illness. Mrs. James Winchester and Mrs. J. H. Yorke, who have also been laid aside through illness, are improving.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Butler left on Tuesday for Boston and New York, to spend a month's vacation. During Mr. Butler's absence there will be a relieving manager at the Royal.

ANNUAL MEETING ST. JOHN'S GUILD

On Thursday last St. John's Guild, of Bear River, held their annual meeting at the home of Mrs. B. C. Clarke. After the reading of the minutes and the adoption of the report, the officers for the new year were elected as follows:

President—Mrs. W. Brinton.
Vice-President—Mrs. George Harris.

Secretary-Treasurer—Mrs. W. M. Romans.
Shopping Committee—Mrs. B. C. Clarke, Mrs. Romans.

Altar Guild—Mrs. Simons, Mrs. L. V. Harris.

A general discussion took place, a motion passed and plans were formulated for the holding of St. John's Garden Party, early in July, at River View Lodge.

The Treasurer's report showed 1930 to have been a very busy and prosperous year, with

Receipts \$310.21
Disbursements 222.13

Balance \$88.08

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THE PHILATHEA ANNUAL

On Thursday evening of last week the Philathea Class of the United Baptist church, Bear River, met at the home of Mrs. A. A. MacLeod, for their annual business meeting, as well as the regular monthly meeting of the class.

In the absence of the president, Mrs. Carl Miller, the vice-president, Mrs. Roy Snell, was in the chair. After the usual opening, which consists of the class song prayer, class poem, minutes and roll call, Mrs. C. D. Rice, secretary-treasurer, was asked to give the annual business report. The report, which was adopted, showed a surplus in the treasury, after all debts for the year had been paid.

Because of the absence of Mrs. Chipman Harris, chairman of the Sick and Visiting Committee, Mrs. Rice read her report. The many calls made on the sick and shut-ins, and the number of boxes of fruit, and flowers sent, showed that the committee has been an active one. This committee deserves worthy mention.

The committee appointed to look after "Christmas Cheer Boxes", reported twenty-five boxes sent out.

Then followed the election of officers. All of last year's officers were re-elected. They are as follows:

President—Mrs. Carl Miller
Vice-President—Mrs. Roy Snell
Secretary-Treasurer—Mrs. C. D. Rice.

Pianist—Mrs. Carol Clarke
Convener of Sick and Visiting Committee—Mrs. Chipman Harris

After the close of the business period the meeting was passed over to Mrs. Clarence Morgan, who was in charge of the evening's programme, which consisted of the following numbers:

Reading—"The Threshold of the New Year"—Mrs. C. Morgan.
Hymn—"Just When I Need Him Most"—Class.

Reading—"The Children in the Wood"—Miss Grace Hubley
Address—Rev. A. A. MacLeod.
Reading—"So Did I"—Mrs. MacDormand.

Violin Solo—"Trauerlied" by Schumann—Miss Merjorie Baird.
Reading—"Will the New Year Come Tonight"—Miss Marion MacLeod.

Song, with Guitar Accompaniment—"Sing Again That Sweet Refrain"—Mrs. Waldo Chute.
Reading—"One Bullet's Work"—Mrs. Carol Clarke.

Hymn—"God Will Take Care of You"—Class.

After refreshments, served by the Refreshment Committee, of which Miss Verna Parker was convener, the meeting was brought to a close by the singing of "Blest Be the Tie That Binds."

B. Y. P. U. TOPICS

Jan. 23—Lecture I—"The Bible as a Book"—The Pastor.

Jan. 30—Hike to Morganville, and Program—Group 1.

Feb. 6—Lecture on First Aid—Dr. A. B. Campbell.

Feb. 13—Valentine Social.

Feb. 20—Lecture II—"The Bible in the Making"—The Pastor.

Feb. 27—Mock Broadcast—Group 1.

Mar. 6—Hike to Lansdowne—Group 2.

Mar. 13—Boys' Debate, "Resolved that Wealth is a Greater Source of Unhappiness than Poverty".

Mar. 20—Lecture III—"The Bible in the Making"—The Pastor.

Mar. 27—Junior-Senior Banquet.

Apr. 3—Illustrated Lecture—Easter Theme—Rev. P. C. Henderson.

Apr. 10—Pie Social in Temperance Hall, in charge of Group 2.

Apr. 17—Lecture IV—"The Great Teachings of the Bible"—The Pastor.

Apr. 24—Dramatic Sketch—Group 1.

May 1—Address—Mrs. L. J. Lovett.

May 8—Birth-day Social.

May 15—Lecture V—"The Great Teachings of the Bible"—The Pastor.

May 22—Girls' Debate—"Resolved, That a Business Course is of More Value to a Girl than One in Domestic Science".

May 29—Variety Program—Group 2.

June 5—Address—Mr. H. Tupper Warner.

June 12—Variety Program—Group 1.

June 19—Annual Picnic.

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SCOUT NOTES

The absence of Scout Notes from this page during the past few months has not been due to inactivity on the part of the local troop, because the First Bear River Troop has never been more alive than at present.

They are functioning now with a full staff of officers and the interest on the part of the boys in various branches of Scout Work is very keen.

At last Thursday's meeting, Lawrence Copeland of the Beavers was presented with a Second Class Badge and a Service Star awarded to Billy Anthony. Several essays were read giving an account of a hike to a logging camp several weeks ago. This was a fifteen mile hike and in addition to seeing all the phases of logging operation the boys also passed fire-lighting and cooking tests in the open. Passing these tests in the heart of the woods in mid-winter is much different from passing the same tests in mid summer.

A number of proficiency badges have been won and will be awarded at the next meeting.

One of the pleasantest features of the evening was the presentation of a Challenge Flag to the Troop by Assistant Scout Master John Evans. The Flag bears the inscription of the Troop and was sent by Scout Barrett of the 23rd West London (England) Troop to be used as a trophy and to be held by the Patrol winning in the last Patrol Competition. A vote of thanks and appreciation was passed to Scout Barrett and the Assistant Scout Master was requested to forward it to him.

Another pleasing incident was the presentation to the Scout Master by the members of the Troop of a framed picture of the Chief Scout. The artistic framing was all the work of the Scouts and it was accompanied by a presentation card containing the autograph of all the Scouts in the Troop.

At the Court-of-Honor meeting held at the close of the regular meeting, Walter Snell was appointed Patrol Second of the Foxes.

AN ENJOYABLE FUNCTION

The former members of the United Baptist choir met at the home of their leader, Mrs. Litchfield, on Saturday evening, and pleasantly surprised her.

The president, Mr. Cunningham, with well chosen remarks, presented Mrs. Litchfield, gold, as a token of appreciation for faithful service rendered as choir leader during the past eight years. Mrs. Litchfield responded, speaking words of praise for her ever willing and faithful members.

Mr. Cunningham was given a vote of thanks, he having served as president, discharging his duties faithfully and well.

This organization has performed the various duties with pleasure and in perfect harmony the leading elements at all times. The social gatherings have been uplifting, and the general work carried on in keeping in view Him who said, "Ye did it unto me."

Delicious refreshments were served by the choir, and the singing of "Blest Be the Tie That Binds" brought to a close a pleasant evening, one not soon to be forgotten by members or leader.

Mrs. Gilbert Hubley entertained a few friends at the tea hour on Thursday.

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STREET LIGHTING

The Public Utilities Board have given a decision allowing the Annapoli s Valley Electric Company rates of \$18 per annum on 40 Watt lamps, and \$20 per annum on 60 Watt lamps.

This decision is inexplicable in the face of the figures of the cost of ten 40-watt lamps in the Company's own brief, as follows:

Operation \$49.08
Utilization 29.00
Depreciation 48.33

\$126.41

8% return on investment 42.73

Aggregating only \$169.14 and not \$179.14 as stated in the Brief. This mistake of \$10 in addition was pointed out to the Board, but they ignored it, although it would have reduced

the cost per lamp to \$17. The Board at the present hearing, also refused to go into the excessive depreciation of 10% per annum charged by Company on poles, brackets, wire, etc., although sworn evidence was before them of all these materials having been in use for over fifteen years and being still in good condition.

The matter will probably not be allowed to rest on the Board's decision.

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of Saint Clement's Parish took place at Saint Matthew's Church, Deep Brook, on Monday afternoon. Those attending from Saint John's Church Congregation were Messrs. Alfred Porter, J. A. Farquhar, A. M. Simonds, and L. V. Harris.

Messrs. L. V. Harris and A. M. Simonds were appointed wardens for the coming year, and F. K. Darres and L. V. Harris were appointed Synod delegates.

The report from Saint John's Guild showed that a splendid amount of work had been accomplished by that organization during the year 1930.

Here's another attractive

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Cheese and Vegetable Soufflé with Cream Sauce
Buttered Whole Wheat Toast
Sweet Pickles
Hot Raspberry Biscuits
Chase & Sanborn's Tea

For afternoon tea, there is nothing nicer than these same Raspberry Biscuits, shaped daintily with a tiny cutter—split, buttered and served piping hot, with a cup of perfect tea.

Miss Caldwell says: "Magic Baking Powder is easy to use because its uniform, high quality power varies. I use and recommend Magic because my experience has proven that it always gives consistently better baking results."

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- SALE -

Our 32nd. Anniversary Annual Remnant and Cash Discount Sale will begin February 3rd. and end Saturday, February 7th. at 12 p. m.

Tuesday morning, February 3rd. promptly at nine o'clock our store doors will swing open. Everywhere you will find prices CUT, CUT, CUT! Inventory, time has passed. We have taken out all remnants and shelf warmers and marked them at less than Half Price. They must be sold. We would rather take a loss than have these odd lots hanging over. These Clearing Sales keep Stock fresh and up to the minute. Without reserve the Whole of our Stock is subjected to radical reductions. Come by motor! Drive if you can! Walk if you have to! By all means get here on time! You will find prices cut from 20% to 50%. It is impossible to itemize our offerings.

DO YOU BELIEVE IN SAVING MONEY?

Our Straight-from-the-Shoulder Cash Discount Sale on our entire stock means the Greatest Discount Selling in the history of all our sales. Investigate the possibilities of this Great Sale and you will know why every-one shops here on Sale Days.

Made-to-Measure Suits - \$22.50

Extra Pair Pants - \$5.00

This offer holds good until January 31st., 1931. If ever you received value for your money it will be when you purchase one of our suits with an extra pair of pants at the above prices.

The Bear River Trading Company Limited

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Concession Youth Meets Tragic End

The quiet little village of Concession, was grievously shocked on Saturday, when one of its young and enterprising citizens, in the person of James Melanson, aged seventeen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Melanson, met a tragic death. With an- other brother, Jesse, he had come to the woods on his father's land, bordering on Bel Lake just at the rear of Saintnerville Station, on the D. A. R., for the purpose of bringing out fire wood. Reaching the brow of the land, James told his brother to go on with the oxen to another part of the property, while he remained behind and loaded the logs on to the team. Jesse after a short time failed to hear anything of his brother, became somewhat alarmed and returned to see where he was and was horrified to see him lying face down with a huge log across his back. He had hastily summoned assistance and the log was removed, but it was found that James was quite dead, the large stick in knocking him down and falling upon him, had broken his neck. He was also badly injured and lay on other parts of his body. He was always, owing to his genial disposition, a very likeable young man and, as stated, his tragic end has cast a gloom over the entire community. His funeral took place at Concession on Monday.

To add to the tragedy, Placide Melanson, grandfather of the young man, passed away on Sunday. He was 83 years of age and had been a lifelong resident of Concession. For sometime past he had been in failing health, due to the infirmities of those years and it is said that his passing on the day following the tragic death of his grandson, always a great favorite with the aged gentleman, was due to shock received when apprised of the awful accident.

Ladies' Aid Business Meeting Next Wednesday

The Sewing Circle of the Ladies' Hospital Aid was well attended last Wednesday, at the home of Mrs. A. J. Dill. Next Wednesday the regular monthly business meeting of the Ladies' Aid will be held at 2:30 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Harold Riecker, Queen street, followed by the Circle and Tea.

Examinations Today for Fisheries Inspector

The examinations are to be held in Digby today for the position of Inspector of Fisheries. There are a number of applications.

Lake Doucet Girl Dies at Early Age

The death occurred at her home in Lake Doucet, on Friday afternoon, the 9th inst., of Margaret Melanson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Melanson, at the age of 15 years. She had been sick for only a few weeks. Surviving are her parents, six brothers, John, in the United States; Bernard, in Quebec; Andrew, Nelson, Gilbert and Donald, at home; four sisters, Mrs. LeBlanc (Emilie) in Boston; Irene, Agnes, Laura, at home. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. Father Maillet, and interment took place in the St. Vincent de Paul cemetery, at Salmon River.

Weymouth Native Dies in Massachusetts

Elijah Pingo, believed to be the oldest former resident of the Maritime Provinces in western Massachusetts, died at his home in Westboro, Mass., on January 21st, after a short illness of pneumonia. He was a native of Weymouth and took up the trade of a carpenter on moving to the United States. Later he started a contracting business, and many of the show places around Westboro were erected under his direction. He was 93 years old, and was active up to the time of his death.

Death at Westport of Mrs. James Morrell

Died at Westport on Tuesday, January 13, inst., Mrs. James Morrell, aged 67 years, leaving one daughter, Mrs. Maude Bar- well, of Westport, to mourn Mrs. Morrell was a native of Little River and was a daughter of the late Allan and Mary Ann Cornwall, of that place. Funeral took place from the home of her son on Wednesday afternoon. The service was conducted by Rev. Morton of the Christian Church. Sympathy extended to those who mourn.

ORBITARY

Clinton—Suddenly at Digby, January 28, 1931, Laura C. (Lillian) eldest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John A. Clinton, leaving a sister, Miss Mary, and a brother, Charles, to mourn their loss.

Murdered Man Is Identified as William Tebo

CLARE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL FAVORS AMALGAMATION

The Council of the Municipality of Clare, during its recent meeting, placed itself on record as approving of the project of the Nova Scotia Power Commission, in its project of amalgamation of the various municipal outfalls in Western Nova Scotia. L. H. Potter, of Weymouth, appeared on behalf of the Commission. His address was as follows:

Mr. Walden and members of the Municipal Council of Clare—I have been requested to address you on what I believe to be a serious and fundamental question concerning your municipality, and the province of Nova Scotia as well.

It relates to the proposal made by the Nova Scotia Power Commission to the Digby County Power Board through its component parts—the Municipality of Digby, the Town of Digby, the Village of Weymouth, and the Municipality of Clare—as to whether it would be better to accept the proposal made by the Commission for the acquisition of the hydro electric generating system of the Digby County Power Board, or if negotiations for such should be declined.

Serious questions require careful and deliberate consideration, and those words of the Hon. Joseph Howe are as true today as when he said: "See that you discharge with energy and elevation of soul the duties which devolve upon you in virtue of your position."

May I ask, what is your position today? Essentially it is one of trust and guardianship for those whose faith in your judgment and wisdom have placed you here as their representative in the Municipal Council of Clare. It is to report to them that look for guidance in all affairs pertaining to the common wealth of the Municipality.

May I also ask, what is a government for, if it is not to take the lead in noble enterprises; to stimulate industry; to elevate and guide the public?

Mr. H. S. Johnson, of the Nova Scotia Power Commission, has addressed you at length, outlining the high purpose of the Commission in its desire to acquire various hydro electric installations extending from Weymouth to Middleton, which includes seven generating turbines, two of which being under the operation and control of your Board.

He stressed the point that unification and consolidation is being sought throughout all countries of the world today where progress is uppermost in the minds and hearts of the people.

Also that success in all undertakings is based largely upon knowledge and experience when crystallized under good management and that a thorough knowledge of Canada will reveal the fact that where unification has taken place in the great hydro electric developments of the country, progress and industry have abounded.

What has the Commission to offer? First, payment of properties on a replacement cost basis less proper depreciation—valuation to be determined and submitted for approval by independent and competent engineers outside of those employed under the Commission.

These costs should, in your case exceed the money expended by your Board in view of the prices at which they were acquired. Money thus obtained should be more than sufficient to provide for the final absorption of all bonds outstanding against the properties in question.

Additional financial burdens so far as we are concerned, which in the natural course of events must be borne for the further development of power and light would thus be eliminated as relates to the properties in question, these being borne by the entire Province of Nova Scotia, who instituted the Nova Scotia Power Commission for the development of our Provincial resources and the greatest possible benefit of her people.

Shall the County of Digby, of which you form a part, be one of the spokes in the wheel of that great turbine that determines the tide of fortune and yields to us our rightful place in the sun, or shall we close our eyes to the larger possibilities appearing on the horizon?

L. H. POTTER
Weymouth, Nova Scotia,
January 17, 1931

The secret of always having a good cup of tea is to always use MORSE'S and always brew it in fresh water that has just come to the boil.

His Sister in Providence, R. I., Gives Perfect Description of Trinkets Found on Him. Disappeared Seventeen Years Ago.

After all the surmises it now transpires that the skeleton found in the woods on the Glebe lands, near Jackson's Crossing, Digby Neck Road, last week are all that remains of William Tebo, the deaf mute who disappeared so mysteriously about sixteen years ago. The identification is made complete in the following letter from his sister, Mrs. Rebecca Lord, of Providence, R. I., addressed to J. J. Wallis, Editor of the Courier:

J. J. Wallis,
Editor Digby Weekly Courier,
Digby, Nova Scotia

Dear Sir—With a deep pain in my sorrowful heart I read of the finding of the remains of my deaf and dumb brother. He disappeared in the year 1913 and I have been all these years trying to find him. I have had letters from many people, but found on enquiry the person they referred to was not my brother. He wore a No. 9 shoe, and his watch chain had a horse shoe charm on one end and his key on the other. He did not have a watch. The chain had heavy links, made closely together. It was a chain from my uncle, Major Brown, who was lost at sea in the West India Islands, and was called an "old gold" chain.

Seventeen years ago I wrote home to Sheriff H. A. P. Smith—an old family friend—to go to the home- stead at Mr. Pleasant, and see if my brother was there— sick, and alone. I received a nice letter in reply telling me that he had gone to our old home, pulled the padlock from the door and scared all the house, but there was no sign of William. He had apparently been there shortly before as there was bread and butter, fresh cut on the table; and a fire had been made in the stove. This is the last I heard of my brother. He was of a peaceful disposition and had been baptized in the Baptist church by Rev. A. T. D. Keman.

I have no idea of who would commit such a crime, but I am certain it was not suicide.

Mrs. Rebecca Lord
Providence, R. I.
January 26, 1931

With the identity established it is likely the next step will be an inquest. Mrs. Lord's sworn affidavit that the articles recovered belonged to her brother will no doubt be obtained, and there will be something tangible to work on. But her description of the articles is perfect, and there is no doubt but that the identity of the man is complete.

Activities in Trinity Parish

There will be choir practice to- night at 7:30 o'clock, in the Parish Hall. All members are urged to be present. The hour is changed to accommodate those wishing to attend the hockey match.

The evening service on Sunday will take the form of a "Service of Song". Fainter hymns and an anthem, "Send Out the Light", by Gounod, will comprise the musical parts. The congregation has very kindly fallen in with the suggestion of occupying the front pews of the church. There was a marked change in the congregational singing on Sunday last.

The services on Sunday will be as follows:

8 a. m.—Holy Communion.
11 a. m.—Choral Eucharist and Sermon.
All Sunday School children are asked to attend this service, which will be of an instructive nature.
3 p. m.—Service at Marshalltown.
7 p. m.—Evangelical and Sermon.
All welcome!

Mrs. Etta Warner Died in Needham, Mass.

Word was received here on Monday of the sudden death of Mrs. Etta Warner, which occurred at her home in Needham, Mass., on Sunday last. The deceased, who was well and favorably known here, being a former resident of the town, was the widow of the late Roger W. Warner, a brother of H. T. Warner. She is survived by two sons, Harold, of Winnipeg, and Burgess, of Needham. Mrs. Warner was a daughter of the late Charles and Harriet Marshall, and was born at Hillgrove 55 years ago. The brothers and sisters remaining are Fred and Frank Marshall, Mrs. Wylie Nichols, Mrs. Harry Dunn, Mrs. (Dr.) Robbins, and Mrs. James Dunn, all in Massachusetts. In religion Mrs. Warner was a member of the United Church. A large circle of relatives and friends, both here and in the United States, will learn with deep regret of the passing of one who was so highly respected and deeply beloved.

Horse and Man Have Ice Plunge in Lake Midway

The work of putting up the season's supply of ice, at Centreville, is being rushed towards completion, while the weather continues favorable. The ice at Lake Midway is now about 12 inches thick and in good condition. A large cut is being harvested, and Lunnburg Sea Products Company, C. R. Morton, Cecil Dakin and E. H. Raymond are all putting up large quantities. In connection with the ice cutting, an accident occurred on Saturday night which had no serious results. A horse belonging to a Councilor of the Cossaboom, which had been attached to the ice plough broke through the edge of the ice at the large opening where the ice plough had been operating. Mr. Cossaboom, in attempting to help the horse, also broke through and was precipitated into the icy water. Mr. Cossaboom was able to reach firm ice and extricate himself, but it was only after cutting a channel through the ice, to the shore, that the horse was brought ashore.

Neither Mr. Cossaboom nor the horse appear to have suffered any ill effects from their icy bath.

Recent Benefit Bridge Was Financial Success

The Ladies' Hospital Aid wish to thank all those who contributed in any way towards the recent Benefit Bridge from which the proceeds were \$45.50. The prizes were donated and won, as follows:

Ladies' First, Bridge—Donated by Mrs. B. J. Roop, won by Miss Dora Warner.

Gentlemen's First, Bridge—Donated by Mrs. H. M. Warner, won by Mr. Ward.

Ladies' Lucky Prize, Bridge—Donated by Mrs. DuVernet, won by Miss Edith Shreve.

Gentlemen's Lucky, Bridge—Donated by Mrs. C. R. Sypher, won by D. Cossaboom.

Ladies' First, Forty-Fives—Donated by Mrs. F. W. Holdsworth, won by Mrs. Budreau.

Gentlemen's First, Forty-Fives—Donated by Mrs. P. Elsenor, won by Wm. J. Agate.

Towed to Digby by Patrol Boat

Rescued while being tossed about by a heavy sea, the scallop boats Shamrock, operated by Raymond Longmore, and Legation, operated by Hilvard Barnes, were brought safely into port here on Tuesday by the patrol boat Capelin, Capt. E. H. Lewis. While the patrol boat was on duty in the Bay of Fundy Tuesday morning, the lookout noticed a distress signal flying from the Shamrock. It was found the engines on the scallop boat were disabled, and the heavy drags were caught on the bottom. The Capelin towed the boat, drags and all, to shelter near Point Prim lighthouse. Another boat followed and it loaned hoisting apparatus to the Shamrock, with which her valuable drags were recovered. The Legation, also with engine trouble, was spotted later by the Capelin and towed to Digby.

House Destroyed at Ashmore

A residence in Ashmore, owned by Lloyd Munzer, was totally destroyed by fire about 10 o'clock on Wednesday morning. The house was rented to a Mrs. Wilson, who resides in Weymouth. Mrs. Wilson went to the house on Wednesday and built a fire in the stove. She was about her household duties when informed that the house was on fire upstairs—the flames just breaking through the roof. It is thought to have caught from a defective fire. Those who gathered were able to save a part of the furniture downstairs, but everything else was lost. There was no insurance.

Digby Ravens To Stage First Game Tonight

Hockey has been mighty quiet in this neck of the woods this year, and although the Digby boys have been putting in a lot of practice and are showing themselves in good form, they have not put on a game so far this season. But, tonight something is going to happen. Digby will meet Berwick in the Victoria Rink and the local fans who have been starving for a good game of hockey, are praying for a good sheet of ice. With the exception of Hutchinson and Daley (who, by the way, are playing with Berwick this year), Digby's line-up is much the same as that of last year.

Bean Supper Tonight

The C.G.I.T. of the United Church, Church are holding a Bean Supper in the vestry this evening. Make it a point to come. Supper 35 cents and 20 cents.

A Flee for Justice for Police Dogs

To the Editor of the Courier:
Sir—As I was reading your paper I saw where some of the councillors moved to have the Police dog barred from the province? Why is it that they picked the one breed. They say they are the means of so much sheep killing. I think if Councilor Pugh had stopped at Freeport he might have found out just what kind of dogs killed those sheep. I do not think the ever was a police dog in Centreville. When a collie is found running at large or biting someone do we hear broadcasted from the council, that collies should not be kept as pets? Why should the police dog take all the criticism? Just because the ever was a police dog and their sheep it does not say that they were killed by dogs. There are vicious dogs in every breed. Why can't a person keep any breed of dog he likes as long as the dog stays at home and mind his own business? I think if the council passed a law to give people liberty to shoot all dogs running at large or molesting sheep, there would not be so many sheep killed. Let us be fair with the police dogs. Just because one man is hauled to court for beating his wife, do we say that all men are wifebeaters? But it seems that the light of publicity is thrown on just one breed of dog. I am not saying he is better than any other dog—he is not; but I think he has a keen on the upstairs—the flames just breaking through the roof. It is thought to have caught from a defective fire. Those who gathered were able to save a part of the furniture downstairs, but everything else was lost. There was no insurance. I say kill all dogs that run at large and let the owners say what they will. A good dog is all right—a good protection from window peepers and other intruders. Let us be fair with all dogs. Kill all guilty ones and protect the innocent in a square deal. I think a dog has a right to his first offence. This ends my prayer for dogdom.

A READER

Death Followed Illness of Many Years

Sarah, wife of Augustus Turnbull, of the Lighthouse Road, died at the residence of her son, William A., on Tuesday evening, after an illness of many years. She was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Edward Young, of Digby, and was born in Marshalltown over 80 years ago. Besides her husband she leaves two sons, George E. and William A., both of Digby, and two brothers, Alexander Young, of the Lighthouse Road, and David F. Young, of Newton, Mass.

The delegates from this county attending the Nova Scotia Farmers' Convention at Truro, are Carey Morgan, Lansdowne; Fred. Veinot, Gilbert's Cove; Edwin Digby, Mink Cove; Lloyd McNeil, Marshalltown.



Your Boy!

In your boy's future money must play an important part. The possession of it may mean success; the lack of it, failure. Your experience tells you what he cannot know—the value of money saved. You can give him a precious asset—the habit of saving. His first thousand dollars may mean a lifetime of success.

OPEN AN ACCOUNT FOR HIM TO-DAY

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Bear River Branch
Weymouth Branch

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L. M. Butler, Manager
G. O. Long, Manager

Water Street
Digby N. S.

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Opposite the Post Office

January 30, 1931

ANNIVERSARY SALE

Commences Monday, February 2nd.

See Announcement on Page 6

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ENTER THE CANADIAN MARKET NOW

An interesting summary of the general trade situation in the United States comes to us from a correspondent who has recently completed a business tour there, says The British Printer, of London, England, one of the world's leading trade publications.

He states that the American manufacturer today, whilst not panicky, is far from cheerful over the business outlook. Guided in his economics more by what he can save immediately than by what a cessation of his advertising will cost him ultimately, he has considerably reduced his advertising appropriations. This is reflected in all the newspapers, magazines and other publications carrying advertising.

This indicates that there is little confidence in any immediate business revival. Business conventions talk a good deal about the future, but have little to say of an encouraging nature on the present situation.

In contrast to this, Canada is regarded as being in better position commercially and financially and as our correspondent shrewdly adds—mentally.

The inference is that British manufacturers are well advised to become more aggressive in the Canadian market as American manufacturers decrease their efforts. Probably there never was such a time as the present when the British manufacturer was in a more favorable position to do business in Canada than now.

WREATHS

The British foreign office naturally comes in for some hard knocks because of its suggestion that visiting diplomats and other distinguished foreigners stop the custom of laying wreaths on the tombs of war heroes. It has become an established custom and therefore sacred.

There is a good deal to be said however, for the suggestion. When such a custom becomes merely polite and prefunctory, it had better die out. There was real meaning and deep feeling in the practice immediately after the World War. It developed naturally and was for the most part sincere and spontaneous. But when a floral wreath for a war general or an unknown soldier becomes as prefunctory and commonplace as a diploma silk hat and frock coat, what is the use?

TURN DOWN THE CREPE HANGERS

The crepe hangers, working needlessly, are having their inning. The duty of the sensible citizen is to do what he can to stop the spreading of the slanderous rumors. Even if he is forced to listen to them, he is certainly under no obligation to repeat them. He can do his little bit to make bad things less bad, and to hasten the return of prosperity by refusing to enlist in the ranks of gossip mongers. —Boston Herald.

Meteghan Circle Had Good Year.

The annual meeting of the Egg Circle, of Meteghan, took place in the H. C. F. Hall, at Meteghan, recently. The meeting was presided over by R. J. LeBlanc, farmers' representative, and Mrs. R. J. LeBlanc acted as secretary.

The Circle's numbers only 22 members. During the year just closed, they have sold over 3,000 dozens of eggs, which have brought them over \$1,000.

The following officers were elected for 1931: President, R. J. LeBlanc; vice-president, Anthony Comeau; secretary, A. thur Robichaud; expeditor, A. thur Robichaud; directors, Jessie Maillet, Mrs. Edward Comeau, Mrs. Inos Amiraault and Mrs. Julius Saulnier. Mrs. Inos Amiraault was chosen as delegate to the convention at Truro.

Tenth Annual Meeting of Victorian Order of Nurses, Digby Branch

Continued from last week

Nurse's Statistical Report, 1930

PATIENTS

Total Cases Nursed During Year 157

Classification of Cases

Medical Communicable 62

Surgical 21

Prenatal 19

Interrupted Pregnancy 1

Obstetrical (emergency) 9

Infants of Obs. 27

Infants of Postnatal 2

Total 157

Sub-Divisions of Cases

Typhoid 0

Pneumonia 0

Tuberculosis 3

Influenza 13

Chicken Pox 1

German Measles 1

Cancer 1

Sub-Divisions, Maternity Cases

Prenatal 25

Prenatal (dismissed to other care) 3

Prenatal Confined (B. O. N. at Del.) 19

Total 9

New Obstetrical (emergency) 19

Total Obstetrical 38

Infants of Obs. Cases 0

Still Births Pn. Care (2 mos.) 0

Total 0

Present at Delivery

Interrupted Pregnancies 28

Attended 6

Operations Attended 84

Visits 206

Obstetrical 206

Infants of Obs. Cases 206

Postnatal 206

Infants of Postnatal 206

Pneumonia 32

Tuberculosis 96

Other Communicable 57

Cancer 426

Chronics 93

Others 48

To Clinics and Classes 76

School Inspection 340

Home School 228

Child Welfare 247

Instructive Others (including 14 Tuberculosis) 26

On behalf of Patients 2,294

Patients Not Seen 353

Other Sub-Divisions

Insurance Visits (including 72 Infants of Obs.) 125

Free Bedside Nursing Visits (including 7 free Conf.) 158

Night Calls (including 18 Conf. Calls) 39

Consultations in Office 38

Clinics Attended 38

Classes Conducted 21

Meetings Attended 14

Collection 22

No. False Delivery Calls 4

Total No. of Hours Spent in Del. service 132

Total No. of Hours Attending Operations 11

Nurses 1

No. of Relief 2

No. of Students 0

Average No. on Duty 1

Average Hours on Duty (Week Days) 6 hrs. 55 min.

Average Hours on Duty (Sundays) 1 hr. 40 min.

Fees \$64.00

Patients (for All Service) 104.10

Metropolitan Life Insurance Company 338.84

Total \$597.94

Nurse's Report of Special Activities

Child Welfare

Total Cases Listed 74

No. Home Visits 340

Clinic Work

Total Cases Registered 19

No. Clinics Held 38

Total Attendance at Clinics 262

No. Referred to Own Physician 12

No. Instructional Consultations (nurse) 122

Group Talks to Mothers 8

School

No. Schools Visited 1

No. Visits to Schools 30

Hours Spent in Schools 48

No. Children Inspected 770

No. Children Weighed 249

Defects Corrected 37

No. Minor Treatments 17

Classroom Health Talks 15

Referred to Own Physician 17

Referred to Treatment Centres 12

Referred to Health Officers 4

No. of Children Enrolled 76

No. Home School Visits 13

No. Miscellaneous Visits 39

Classes Conducted

Midwifery—15 held, 12 enrolled, with total attendance of 142.

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MISS EDNA WANNENBERG says no one can take course of Sargon without being greatly benefited.



"For three or four years I suffered from sluggish liver and constipation. My skin was sallow, I had no ambition or desire to work. I was nervous and dizzy, had severe headaches and could not sleep. "It is nothing short of remarkable the way Sargon and Sargon Soft Mass Pills relieved me of these troubles. I am now simply bubbling over with new energy and vitality. I do not believe it possible for anyone suffering as I was to take a course of Sargon without being greatly benefited."—Miss Wannenberg lives at 112 E. 81st St., New York City.

Sold by P. W. Holdsworth, Drugist, in Digby, and Bear River Drug Store, in Bear River.

our weekly teas. We also have new signs for permanent use.

Our Christmas Cheer was in charge of Mrs. Fillmore, to whom we are deeply indebted. Dinners, clothing and treats were sent to numerous homes.

During the year 1930, the sum of \$65.55 was expended for supply committee. We received a refund of \$7.00 which makes actual expenses \$58.55, or \$1.45 less than our allotment.

There are two cases of particular interest, in our work of the past year, one being that of an undernourished child predisposed to Tuberculosis. A pint of milk was sent daily to the school, to be given this child, under the teacher's supervision. In one month the child gained four pounds. Another case, that of an infant, a very delicate child, who had not gained an ounce when it was a few months old. A baby carriage and Cod Liver Oil were supplied. The child was out in fresh air and sunshine all day. At the end of one month the baby had gained a pound.

Once more we wish to remind you that our Nurse has a Community Box, which contains various articles of clothing for deserving ones. If an unfortunate one comes to your door, please send him to our Nurse, who will look into conditions carefully, and give out what is needed.

We are indeed grateful to all who have assisted us during the past year. The public has been more than generous. No request has been refused, and to this public we extend our cordial thanks, trusting that our combined efforts, which have been so successful in the past, will this year be crowned with greater success than ever before.

Respectfully submitted,
Anne T. Lockward,
Convener of Supply Committee

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KEMPTVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jeffery motored to Pleasant Lake on Wednesday of last week, and spent a few days with the former's sister, Mrs. George Brittain, and Mr. Brittain.

Judson Hurlburt and John Gavel motored to New Tusker and spent the week end with friends there.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Robie Groat on the arrival of a daughter, January 18th.

Mrs. Merton Roberts, Mrs. Dora Nickerson and Miss Atlanta Clarke motored to Yarmouth on Saturday. The young folks are enjoying good skating on the lakes here.

Edgar Grey of East Kempt, has gone to Pleasant Valley to visit his brother, Dexter Grey, for an indefinite time.

Winston Hurlburt is spending a few weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Roberts, Carleton.

A. M. Gates leaves today for Truro where he will attend the annual convention of the Nova Scotia Agricultural Society.

A. C. Jeffery, of Tusket, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jeffery, of North Kempt. Other guests at the same home on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Randall Jeffery, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jeffery and two children, Mr. and Mrs. John Jeffery and baby, all of West Kemptville.

CULLODEN

Weston Crawford, of the Light-house Road, spent Wednesday of last week with his daughter, Mrs. Wilfred Murphy.

Fritz Porter and sister, Katherine, of Sea Brook, visited Mr. and Mrs. Angus Handspeker on Sunday.

Elliott VanTassel and sister Mary, of Mt. Pleasant, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Newton Ross.

Gerald Handspeker spent Sunday with Crawford VanTassel, Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. Garfield VanTassel, of Digby, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Knock Campbell.

Milton Bain spent a couple of days this week with friends in Digby.

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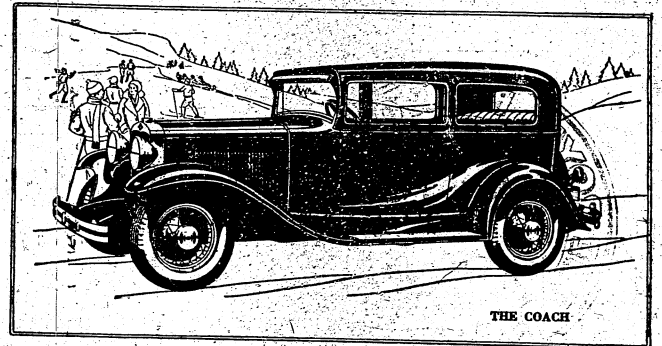
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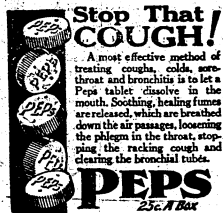


DIGBY MOTORS
DIGBY, N. S.

THE BEAR RIVER WEEKLY COURIER

"For Home and Country"

Edited by Women's Institute, Bear River



THE BUSHEL OF WHEAT TALKS

I've lost my pride and pedigree,
My standing in the sun,
I've nothing left to boast about,
My race is almost run.
There's not a gambler in the land
Would take a chance on me,
I'm down and out and just a shell
Of what I used to be.

But every dog must have its day,
And I have had my time,
The world has stood with bated breath
And watched my price climb.
I've made a hundred millions
And broken thousands more,
And laughed within my golden coat
To hear the losers roar.

And now I'm in the hole so far,
I've shrank and grown so small,
They snub me everywhere I go,
I hardly count at all.
But I'll come back to rule the roost,
My solid place to hold,
I set the standard of the world
With little grains of gold.
—Edna Jacques, in Winnipeg Free Press.

FOR THE GUEST ROOM

Here may'st thou rest and peaceful
slumber take,
Here may'st thou dream till morning
light awake,
Sheltered from aught that might
cause thee alarm,
Safe as the nested bird, secure from
harm,
Commend thy soul to God in trust-
ful prayer,
Forget the harassed world, its noise,
its care;
Biot out the endless troubles of the
day,
Dispel the fears that press thee,
whilst they stay,
Now all the house is hushed in si-
lence deep,
The fringed curtains o'er thy tired
eyelids creep,
God bless thee, dear, my guest,
Now rest.
—O. M. Brookwood

Mrs. H. R. Kinney was a passenger to Halifax on Thursday, where she has undergone a minor operation. While in Halifax she will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Morse and Hon. C. P. and Mrs. Goucher Robie street.

Wonderful For Indigestion

When your stomach feels bad; when stomach acids, gas, sourness, nausea or after-dinner pains make you miserable, just a little Bisulphate of Magnesia—tablets or powder—will bring safe and instant relief. It neutralizes the acids that have upset your stomach and permits normal painless digestion, or its cost is nothing. Druggists everywhere sell it with this guarantee: "Its daily use means real stomach comfort."

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Children who catch cold easily, who have sore throat or tonsillitis are usually in a weakened, run-down condition. Because they do not secure from their food the vitamins necessary for growth, they become weak, thin and pale, they cannot hold their own at school or play, they tire easily and do not have the strength to resist disease. If your child is facing the winter in a half-sick, run-down condition, start with Father John's Medicine at once. Countless mothers have proved its merit. 184 hospitals and institutions use it regularly. Father John's Medicine is a combination of cod liver oil with other valuable ingredients that brings to your child the vitamins necessary for growth and strength. Because of its scientific preparation it is easily as-

simulated by even the most delicate stomach. Children thrive on it amazingly. You will be surprised how your child will pick right up. Pale cheeks glow with health and strength. Hollows fill out. Weight is added. Bones become strong, muscles hard. The child becomes vigorous and healthy. Father John's Medicine is a simple food medicine that contains neither drugs nor alcohol. It could not harm even an infant. Just ask your druggist.

NATIVE OF BEAR RIVER DIES IN EDMONTON

Word received in Bear River on Thursday last by relatives, told of the sudden passing at her home in Edmonton, Alberta, on Wednesday, after a short illness due to pleurisy, of Mrs. Elizabeth (Charles) Wilkins, at the early age of 46 years. Sincere regret is felt in this, her home town, at her early call. She was the daughter of Mrs. Etta (Bishop) Chute, and the late W. A. Chute. She graduated from Oakdale School, then took a business course in Saint John, taking on her return, a position in the office of Clarke Bros., Ltd., remaining there until she went west about eighteen years ago. She was of a cheerful and kind disposition and was much loved by her young friends. She is survived by her husband, Charles Wilkins, and two children, Robert and Mary, in Edmonton; also her mother, in Bear River; two sisters, Mrs. L. O. Nichol of Allston, Mass., Mrs. Fred Woodworth, of Bear River; and one brother, Harry Chute, of Edmonton. She was a devoted member of the United Church, and an enthusiastic Sunday School worker.

ACCEPTS CALL TO BEAR RIVER CHURCH

At a meeting of the congregation of the United Church, at Bear River, the committee of stewards, reporting through the treasurer, stated that all obligations for 1930 had been met and a small balance remained on hand for the year. The missionary and maintenance assessment had been met being an increase of \$28 over 1930. The present pastor having intimated his desire for a change of pastorate, a unanimous call was extended to Rev. Carl L. Blanchard, of Waukegan, N. B., to become the minister of the charge in July.

"Mind Your Own Business"

(Wall Street Journal)
There is a storekeeper in the downtown district who has put up the following sign behind his counter: "Don't ask me how my business is for an hour before you do it to discuss it during business hours. Mind your own business." He explains that so many of the storekeepers in his neighborhood as well as clients, kept asking, "How is business?" and gossiped about their own good or bad business that he figured the last time for all concerned could be more profitably employed. Hence the sign.

Beware of the Dogs

A correspondent of the New York Sun reports that he saw the following notice upon a signboard affixed to the fence of a farm in Minnesota: "Not! Trespassers will be persecuted to the full extent of 2 mangled dogs which never was over sochible to Strangers, and I dubble bri slout gun which afd loaded with soft pillers. Dam if I aint getting tired of this hell raisin on my place."



There are four kinds of Tea:

How easy to make GOOD tea!

Draw fresh water and bring to a brisk boil quickly as possible. Boil out and heat the teapot with a little of the boiling water. Pour on boiling water, but be sure it is boiling briskly. This is most important. You cannot make good tea unless water is really boiling fast. Allow tea to steep at least five minutes before pouring, but never put sugar before the tea is cold. Simple, isn't it? And if you follow the rules, you can have delicious tea every time. Use, preferably, an earthen or crockery teapot—it is the best tea maker.

- 1 Good tea, skillfully made
- 2 Inferior tea, skillfully made
- 3 Good tea, badly made
- 4 Inferior tea, badly made

They should be ranked in that order.

Unfortunately there is not much difference between grades 3 and 4, for bad tea-making will spoil even King Cole as readily as inferior tea.

But there is an enormous difference between grades 1 and 2.

KING COLE

You'll like the flavor

ANNUAL MEETING BEAR RIVER UNITED CHURCH

Much progress in every department of the church's activities was reported at the annual meeting of the congregation of the Hillsburg United Church, which was held on Wednesday, of last week.

The clerk of session, J. E. Langley, reported a membership of 78, and in view of the increased attendance at Sunday School and the changing conditions of Young People's work, recommended that a committee be appointed to look into the matter of securing additional accommodation for Sunday School and Young People's organizations.

The secretary of the Sunday school, Miss June Schmidt, reported an increased enrolment, the use of the graded lessons throughout the year, increased contributions to the Sunday School funds, and a very large increase in missionary giving. Mrs. H. C. Anthony gave the report of the senior C. G. I. T., and intimated that owing to lack of adequate accommodation they had rented the Masonic reading room for their meetings. A very successful series of meetings was reported. The Junior girls' group reported the purchase of their new uniforms. The church leader, Miss Schmidt, and resolutions of appreciation of the work accomplished through these organizations, were passed by the congregation. The Trail Rangers group intimated that they were having much interesting meetings and that the boys were much interested in the work of the group. E. P. Murray, the Mentor, was thanked for the work which he was doing in this capacity. Dr. A. B. Campbell reported for the new organization of the church, the Brotherhood, that it was being well attended and much interest was being displayed by the men of the congregation in it.

The W. M. S., through their treasurer, reported that their allocation had been met and the sum of \$104 forwarded to the general treasury. Mrs. H. E. Harris reported for the Ladies' Aid Society that during the year they had raised \$448, and had a balance at the beginning of the year of \$275. They had assisted the Committee of Stewards in the work of renovation of the parsonage to the extent of \$304, which reveals how much the church, in a financial way, is indebted to the Ladies' Aid Society.

This, treasurer of the church, F. R. Harris, in his report, intimated that in a financial regard the year closed has been eminently successful, more money having been received by the treasurer than for many years past. All obligations have been met and in addition a very substantial increase for the Missionary and Maintenance Fund revealed the fact that the church was not self-centred but had the wisest vision of service for others.

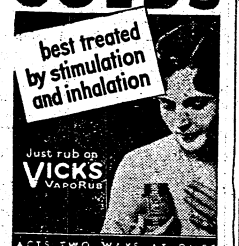
Social Affairs Keep Deep Brook People Busy

Mrs. Bessie McBride and her daughter, Mrs. Hiram Berry, were joint hostesses at a very enjoyable party, at their home, on Tuesday evening of last week. Mrs. B. H. A. Rice was guest of honor, it being Mrs. Rice's birthday. Ice cream and cake were served. At the close of a pleasant evening all joined in wishing Mrs. Rice many happy returns of the day.

Mrs. Annie Copeland entertained the Dorcas Society on Monday evening of last week. This was a surprise party. There were about twenty-five present. The evening was spent in games and music. Cream sandwiches and cake were served by the hostess, assisted by Carl Nichols, Luke Vroom, and Robert Spurr.

Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Purdy entertained a very happy group of young people on Thursday evening of last week in honor of their daughter, Miss Bernice, who celebrated her seventeenth birthday. Among the guests were members of the High School, with their teacher, Miss Sarah Speight, Rev. and Mrs. H. B. Berry, Elburn Berry, and Joseph Dittmars. The evening was spent in games and music; Mr. Habel also gave three readings, which added to the pleasure. Refreshments were served, including a birthday cake with candles. Miss Purdy was the recipient of many pretty and useful gifts.

Mrs. Elburn Berry entertained the Dorcas Society on Wednesday afternoon. Plans are being made to hold a clam supper on St. Valentine's eve. We will say more about it later.



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Local and Personal

St. John's Guild met on Thursday. Harvey E. Chisholm is spending a few days in Truro.

Mrs. Harry E. Harris entertained at the tea hour on Thursday. E. Bailey, of Yaleville, Conn., is the guest of Miss Melba Sullivan. Miss Bartheaux has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Waldo Chute. The Brotherhood of the United Church met on Wednesday evening. Carroll Chute entertained the Men's Bridge Club on Tuesday evening.

The Ladies' Aid met on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. B. Marshall.

Mrs. L. V. Harris entertained the Ladies' Contract Club on Monday afternoon.

Lamont Coff, of Kentville, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Alcorn recently.

The United Baptist circle met on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. D. Chute.

S. Stevens returned on Saturday from Saint John, where he has been for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Potter, of Clements, are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a daughter on January 27th.

Mrs. Monroe, of Kingston, who has been the guest of Mrs. Rand, at the Grand Central for the past week, returned to her home on Monday.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Little Miss Eleanor Morine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Morine, was the hostess to a birthday party at her home on Wednesday afternoon of last week, from 3 to 6 o'clock. Sixteen little guests sat down to a well-laden table; each found their place by a little place card in the form of a sled, with name attached. This was Eleanor's tenth birthday. Games were played, after which they left for home wishing Eleanor many more such birthdays to come.

PORT WADE

Clayton Holmes, of Kentville, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Kendall.

Mrs. Mildred Holmes, of Digby, spent Sunday at her old home here.

A number of our citizens attended the chicken supper held in Karsdale on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Kenneth Holmes was on Monday conveyed to the Digby Hospital where she will undergo a minor operation.

Mrs. Walter Barnes is visiting her mother, Mrs. A. B. Kendall, who is quite ill.

Theo. Beals, formerly of Lawrenceville, was in the village on Monday. He expects to locate here with his family, in the near future.

Prof. Harriman, of Wolfville, gave a recital in the United Baptist church on Sunday evening, which was much enjoyed. While here he was a guest at the home of Mrs. James Johns.

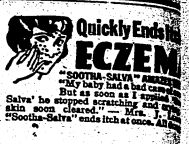
SCOUT NOTES

The Patrol Corners in the Scout Headquarters are all undergoing a complete change and being fitted up appropriately to represent the name of the Patrols, Beavers, Pewees and Foxes. The time limit set for completing the corners is the end of January.

At the last meeting of Patrol II, Walton Snell was presented with his Second Class badge, and Thelbert Read and Edward McDormand were each presented with service stars.

The main topic of discussion in the Court of Honor was the starting of a Scout Library. It was decided to have a library with all the Scout reference books available, and these are not to be removed from the room. There will also be a section containing stories, fiction, etc., and these will be handed out, and can be kept for a week without charge. Any books kept out longer than this will carry a fine.

A committee consisting of the Patrol leaders was appointed to report on the feasibility of having a troop sleigh drive.



ELTA LODGE OFFICERS

The officers of Elta Lodge were recently installed by District Deputy President, Mrs. J. Cress, as follows:

V. G.—Miss Verna Parker
N. G.—Mrs. Clara Rice
Treas.—Mrs. Viola Stevens
R. S.—Mrs. Lina Harris
Warden—Mrs. Elbert Riley
Com.—Miss Evelyn Stewart
Mus.—Mrs. Vera Chute
Chap.—Mrs. Grace Benson
R. S. N. G.—Mrs. Annie Rice
L. S. N. G.—Mrs. Leah Chute
P. S. V. G.—Mrs. Frances Rice
L. S. V. G.—Mrs. Ethel Smith
J. P. N. G.—Mrs. Jennie Goss



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Tuesday morning, February 3rd. promptly at nine o'clock our store doors will swing open. Everywhere you will find prices CUT, CUT, CUT! Inventory time has passed. We have taken out all remnants and shelf warmers and marked them at less than Half Price. They must be sold. We would rather take a loss than have these odd lots hanging over. These Clearing Sales keep Stock fresh and up to the minute. Without reserve the Whole of our Stock is subjected to radical reductions. Come by motor! Drive if you can! Walk if you have to! By all means get here on time! You will find prices cut from 20% to 50%. It is impossible to itemize our offerings.

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Our Straight-from-the-Shoulder Cash Discount Sale on our entire stock means the Greatest Discount Selling in the history of all our sales. Investigate the possibilities of this Great Sale and you will know why everyone shops here on Sale Days.

Made-to-Measure Suits - \$22.50
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This offer holds good until January 31st., 1931. If ever you received value for your money it will be when you purchase one of our suits with an extra pair of pants at the above prices.

The Bear River Trading Company Limited
BEAR RIVER, January 23, 1931.

Mayor's Report and Statement of Accounts, Town of Digby, for Municipal Year 1930

The Mayor's Report

To the Ratepayers of the Town of Digby:

Ladies and Gentlemen—Digby has been fortunate in 1930, feeling the general depression perhaps as little as any town or city in the country.

The arrival on August 26th of the large and splendidly equipped steamship "Princess Helene" for the Bay of Fundy service was an outstanding event in Digby's history and is substantial proof of the Canadian Pacific's interest in its "via Digby" transportation business.

The construction of a large Government pier with its electric elevators will greatly facilitate the handling of freight and automobiles.

The Fishing and Lumbering industries have suffered from falling prices and most difficult business conditions. The Maritime Fish Corporation have employed about the same amount of labour as in 1929. Mr. H. T. Warne has been adding to his various activities in the south end of the town, employing a large number of men throughout the year.

Streets and Public Property—About the usual amount of money was expended on the up-keep of the streets. Due to very dry weather through the summer and autumn it was necessary to use more Calcium Chloride than in 1929. The concrete sidewalk on a portion of the east side of Water Street improved the appearance of the street in this vicinity, and I should like to see this work extended farther south. Half the expense was borne by the Town and the balance by the property owners adjoining. I hope before many years to see a so-called permanent street constructed through the business section of Water Street, but before this work is undertaken it will be necessary to lay a main Sewage Pipe.

I regret to state that the Town Council has not met with much public encouragement, either through the Board of Trade or otherwise, with reference to the purchase of Water Lots by the town, mentioned in my reports of the last two years.

Water—The town's expenditure at Lily Lake was amply justified by a plentiful supply of water in 1930, no restrictions of this most necessary commodity being required—which is in striking contrast with many other towns in Nova Scotia. Extensions of the water supply lines were made on St. Mary's Street and elsewhere, so that now only a very few homes within the town limits are any great distance from the water mains.

Electric Light and Power—The town hopes soon to get an adjustment of rates with the Digby County Power Board. Due to the exceptional drought and consequent lack of water necessary to generate electricity, it was decided not to press for this adjustment until 1931.

We have been especially fortunate in not having any serious fires in the past year, and in this connection I wish to compliment the Fire Department on its quick response to all fire alarms.

Through Mr. Boden's efficient work Digby is to be congratulated on showing 97 1/2 per cent. of the year's taxes collected. It is interesting to note that the town's collections from all public accounts have been more than doubled since 1921, or, in round figures, from less than \$30,000 to more than \$60,000 in 1930.

There are 430 accounts to be made up each month in the Town's Electric Light business, and the number is increasing.

I note with pleasure that the Council has recognized the many faithful years of service of Mr. A. D. Daley in connection with the Electric Light department; we have had good Street Lights and you have all had your regular monthly bills.

The Hospital Board is to be congratulated on the erection of the new and imposing building on a very fine site; the Board has been persistent in its efforts to acquire this new Hospital, and I, with all ratepayers, sincerely wish the venture every success.

The V. O. N. and Children's Aid Societies have again been actively engaged, and I would commend both organizations to your continued practical sympathy; they have accomplished much for the welfare of the young particularly.

The thanks of all ratepayers are due to the gentlemen comprising the Board of School Commissioners, who have a most important duty to carry out. Miss Bertha Curry is welcomed back to the staff, and to the Principal, Vice-Principal and members of the teaching staff generally, praise is due. The mid-day serving of hot milk and cocoa to those remaining for lunch has again proved a boon, and the Board has been well advised to continue the practice this winter.

For their hearty co-operation in the year that has passed, and especially those who have served as chairmen and members of the more active committees; much of their time and effort was given to this work.

The Superintendent of Streets and Water—W. W. Hayden—has expended with care the amount appropriated for general up-keep and construction. The Minister of Highways has given authority for the expenditure of \$2,000, with an additional \$1,000 from the town, on the streets beginning at the western end of Warwick Street, to Montague, and through Water, Birch, Carleton and North Water Streets, to the southern end of Lighthouse Road, a distance of a little over two miles. This money will be used mostly for graveling, with some widening and new culverts where needed; supervision of this work will be under the direction of the Highways Department.

Chief of Police, A. G. Cowan, has added to his record another year of faithful service, keeping a close watch on traffic and maintaining good order on the streets.

For your careful inspection I submit the Abstract of Accounts and Statement of the Town's Finances, together with the Chartered Accountants' Report of the audit.

Having the honor to remain, Ladies and Gentlemen,

Yours faithfully,

T. E. G. LYNCH

Mayor

The Auditors' Report

To His Worship, the Mayor, and Gentlemen of the Council, Town of Digby, N. S.

Gentlemen—We have completed the Audit of the Books and Records of the Town of Digby for the year ending December 31st, 1930, and beg to report as follows: Revenue from all sources has been checked from duplicate receipt record, etc., and moneys so received have been deposited by your Treasurer in the Bank of Nova Scotia and the Royal Bank.

Disbursements have been made upon authorized voucher and cheque. These were examined and found correct. Bank accounts were reconciled.

Sinking Fund deposits, as required, have been duly made. Bank Accounts and Securities representing Sinking Fund Accounts have been examined and found correct.

Expenditures for the year 1930 slightly exceeded

the estimates, but this is not unusual.

Electric Light New Construction and Water Extension Account, which have been carried on for the last two years from advances by the Bank of Nova Scotia, should in our opinion be bonded.

Collections on General, Water and Light Accounts have been well attended to and outstanding accounts have been kept at a low level.

Your records have been kept in an orderly and efficient manner and very accessible for audit.

Yours, truly,

BELVEA & McNICE, Auditors

per George I. Higgins

Saint John, N. B., January 23, 1931.

Receipts and Disbursements Account for Period January 1st to December 31st, 1930

RECEIPTS	
Jan. 1st—Cash on Hand	\$ 100.26
Taxes for 1930—Assessment Collected, less Discounts	25,724.20
Taxes for 1929—Assessment Collected	529.00
Taxes for 1928—Assessment Collected	29.13
Poll Taxes Collected	837.40
Outside School Tax Collected	315.40
Dog Tax Collected	89.00
Licenses Collected	422.00
Police Court Fines	114.50
Civil Court Fees	6.30
Provincial Academy Grant	309.28
Municipal Grant	1,306.39
Miscellaneous Receipts	963.83
N. S. T. Act—Legal Vendor	7,800.54
Balance	519.69
	\$38,927.02

DISBURSEMENTS	
School Commissioners' Account	\$ 9,748.00
Street and Public Property	5,804.08
Police Department	1,183.48
Fire Department	412.26
Poor and Charities	2,300.09
Street Lighting	2,018.28
Salaries—Town Clerk and Treasurer, \$1,350	
Deputy, during absence \$1	
B. Harvey Stipendiary Magistrate 150	1,551.00
General Interest	142.95
Police	578.75
Board of Health	100.00
Municipal Joint Expenditure	4,887.40
Miscellaneous	3,927.67
N. S. T. Act—Supplies, Salaries, etc.	6,051.05
Sinking Fund	240.00
	\$38,927.02

ELECTRIC LIGHT—CURRENT ACCOUNT	
Jan. 1st—Cash on Hand and in Bank	\$ 941.44
Cash from Users of Light	12,835.30
Cash from Users of Power and Heat	3,311.39
Cash from New Pines Hotel	2,074.60
Cash from Street Lighting	2,018.28
Cash from Power Board for Use of Equipment	350.00
Cash for Coal Sold	132.00
Interest	19.46
Cash for Belling Sold	15.40
Cash for Old Transformer	12.00
Cash for Sockets	4.88
Cash, Workmen's Compensation—Rebate	3.64
	\$21,717.99

DISBURSEMENTS	
Power Board, for Current	\$16,212.47
Interest Coupons	2,188.25
Payments into Sinking Fund	540.00
Payments into Sinking Fund	228.00
Payments into Sinking Fund	129.54
Wages—A. D. Daley	400.00
Wages—H. F. Campbell	400.00
Canadian General Electric—Materials	248.37
Power Board, for Labor and Truck	110.45
Secretary	37.35
Wallis, J. J.—Receipt Books, etc.	34.95
Reid, Rev. A. E.—for Sockets, etc., Xmas	20.00
Workmen's Compensation Board	12.54
Royal Litho. Co.—Ledger Leaves	10.10
Insurance on Building	7.50
Balance	790.02
	\$21,717.99

ELECTRIC LIGHT—NEW CONSTRUCTION	
Canadian General Electric—for Materials	\$ 1,465.06
Jobby Jack—Contract for Short Line	355.00
Bank Interest	238.30
Power Board—for Labor and Truck	218.68
Jefferson, Wm.—Supplying Poles	56.00
Keen, Arch.—Supplying Poles	18.50
Franklin, W. J.—Supplying Poles, Labor	17.10
	\$ 2,359.14

WATER—CURRENT ACCOUNT	
Jan. 1st—Cash in Bank	\$ 3,819.08
Cash from Water Users	6,325.21
Cash from Edw. Budd—Neck Road Extn.	73.81
Cash from Reg. Budd	73.81
Cash from B. L. Dunn	73.81
Cash from Emdon McKay	73.81
Cash from Augustus VanTassel, acct. barn	93.36
Bank Interest	76.43
VanTassel, Augustus—Sewers, and Labor	65.42
Cash from A. L. G. Barnes Circus	10.00
Sundries	6.31
	\$10,591.04

DISBURSEMENTS	
Debiture Interest	\$ 2,335.00
Payroll—Workmen	1,918.15
Redemption of Bonds	1,000.00
McAvity & Sons, Ld.—Payment of Sinking	638.48
Holdsforth, W. L.—Plumbing, etc.	54.94
Canada Foundry Co.—Steel Pipe	225.51
Payment into Sinking Funds	146.00
Reidson, James—Standpipes	140.03
Thorne, W. H.—Wire, Lead, Oakum, etc.	54.64
C. P. R. Freight	81.62
Workmen's Compensation Board	80.34
VanTassel, Augustus—Fencing	61.90
Trohan, A. J.—Blacksmith Work	54.94
Warne, H. T.—Lumber and Truckage	37.88
Handspiker, Freeman—Labour and Team	23.00
Armstrong, C. A.—Blacksmith Work	24.40
Turnbull, A. R.—Coal	15.50
Shortlife, A. E.—Shingles, etc.	15.50
Wrightman, Frank—Making Blue Prints	15.00
Crane, Limited—Pressure Gauge	17.25
Reidson, B. H.—Repairs	12.72
Dakin Bros.—Sundries	11.87
Royal Print and Litho—Ledger Leaves	10.10
Provincial Treasurer—Annual Fee	10.00
Parker, E. B.—Surveying	9.00
Sundry Small Accounts	21.76
Secretary	50.00
Balance	2,891.87
	\$10,591.04

WATER—EXTENSION ACCOUNT	
Payroll—Workmen	\$ 1,511.00
McAvity & Sons—Pipe	193.68
Warne, H. T.—Lumber and Cement	296.00
Bank Interest on Overdraft	117.70
Dakin Bros.—Wire Screening, etc.	47.90
Milberry, J. P.—Cable, etc.	21.77
Hazelton, James—Haulage	8.00
Thorne, W. H.—Iron Bars	6.89
Trohan, A. J.—Blacksmith Work	4.95
	\$ 2,207.89

MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS	
Jan. 1st—Cash on Hand	\$ 100.00
Wormell, Roland—Proportion of Sidewalk Cost	165.78
Newcombe & Abbott—Stationery	11.65
Wright, Oswald—Proportion of Sidewalk Cost	87.8
Digby Garage—Proportion of Sidewalk Cost	72.20
Webster, W. F.—Proportion of Sidewalk Cost	72.20

Snow, Mrs. Alma—Proportion of Sidewalk Cost	63.50
Interest on Taxes	61.00
VanTassel, Oscar—Repayment of Poor Account	50.00
Ross, Harry—Calcium Chloride	38.18
Digby Motors—Calcium chloride and Cement	15.90
Spurr, A. T.—Calcium Chloride	33.30
Workmen's Compensation Board—Rebate	22.36
Handspiker, Freeman—Grass on Street	16.00
Winchester, Earl—Repayment of Hospital Fee	13.50
Abrahamson, R. A.—For Old Water Cost	12.00
Jefferson, Jesse V.—Part Police Charge for Investigation	12.00
Comeau, Denis—Labour on Sewer	6.30
McAvity, Guy E.—Labour on Drain	3.00
Cedar Pulp Co.—Rent	5.00
Sale of Old Lumber, etc.	5.15
Dennison, Robert—Repayment of Hospital Fees	2.37
Power, Mrs. C.—Acknowledgement	1.00
Pelton, H. E.—Acknowledgement	.50
Russell, Jack—Cherries	.50
Sundries	6.46
	\$963.83

LICENSES	
Bank of Nova Scotia	\$ 146.25
Royal Bank	146.25
Maritime Furriers, for Three Days' Sale	25.00
Webster, Isaac, non-resident Auctioneer	12.60
Tupper, G. E., non-resident Auctioneer	20.00
Webster, Edward, resident Auctioneer	10.00
McAvity, Fred, E., Meat for Two Years	15.00
McAvity, Freeman, Meat and Fish	7.50
Gabrielle, Madame, Business Hairdresser	7.50
Greene, Charles, Transient	5.00
Tibert, Fred, Lobster License	2.50
Dakin, K. P., Lobster License	2.50
Robichaux, Myron, Fish License	5.00
Young, Curtis J., Milk License	2.00
Larche, John, Milk License	2.00
Jefferson, Jesse V., Milk License	2.00
Stewart, Mrs. Transient	2.00
Marshall, John, Transient	1.50
	\$422.00

DOG LICENSES	
Pyne, Lyman	\$3.00
Harvey, Fred	1.00
Raymond, Everett	1.00
Casswell, Mrs. M.	1.00
Wilson, Fred	1.00
Melanson, Dominic	1.00
Harris, T. J.	4.00
Yates, Paul	1.00
Melanson, Dominic	3.00
Frederick, Reginald	2.00
Dakin, Louis	1.00
Cowan, A. G.	4.00
Bryant, Mrs. A. T.	1.00
May, Fred	2.00
Dillon, A. J.	1.00
Holdsforth, Ray	1.00
Dickie, Dr. W. R.	2.00
Smith, H.	1.00
Thibault, Leo	1.00
Raymond, Cyril	1.00
Landry, Mrs. Simon	1.00
VanTassel, Reginald	1.00
Wallis, J. J.	1.00
Warrington, W. C.	1.00
Snow, Ansel	1.00
Tidd, Delbert	1.00
Anderson, F. L.	1.00
Lynch, T. E. G.	3.00
Pyne, Mildred	1.00
Walker, Forrest	1.00
O'Neill, Fred	1.00
	\$49.00

POLICE DEPARTMENT EXPENDITURE	
Chief of Police—A. G. Cowan	\$901.62
Andrews, Arthur—Night Duty	132.00
Bowles, H. W., Relief and Part Time	43.86
McPhee, Angus—Chief's Uniform	40.00
Maritime Telephone	28.75
Chief's Expenses to Halifax Convention	15.00
Sundries—Flashlights, etc.	7.75
VanTassel, Harry—Special Duty	8.00
Lawrence, Fred—Special Duty	6.50
	\$1,183.48

FIRE DEPARTMENT DISBURSEMENTS	
Firemen's Allowance	\$250.00
Digby Garage—Tools and Parts for Truck	50.24
LaFrance Chemical Co.—Recharges	40.75
Mount, Charles E.—Fire Truck Driver and Tender	24.00
VanTassel, Stephen—Caretaker Fire Hall	15.00
Holdsforth, W. L.—Threading Hose Uniform	11.25
Freight, C. P. R.	6.87
Digby Motors—Gasoline	5.35
Oliver, Miss B.—Rent of South End Building	5.00
	\$414.26

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENDITURE	
Provincial Highway Tax	\$ 70.93
Digby General Hospital—Grant	500.00
Debiture Interest, \$300; Commuted, \$100	400.00
Sinking Fund	240.00
Children's Aid Grant	275.00
Victorian Order of Nurses—Grant	200.00
Evangelical Tourist Association—Grant	200.00
Board of Trade—Grant	100.00
Hockey Club—Grant	100.00
Cumming, J. W.—Corrugated Pipe	100.75
Assessors—Armes, Dakin, and Anderson	100.00
Wallis Job Print—Year Book Receipt Books	93.14
Belvea & McNice—Auditors	60.00
Liverpool Relief Fund	50.00
Debiture of Volunteer List	50.00
Stamps and Telegrams	29.40
Saunders & Duffus—Insurance and Fidelity Bond	29.40
Newcombe & Gilbert—Rate Books	26.52
Vital Statistics	23.60
Clerk's Expenses to Truro Convention	24.00
Tupper, G. E.—Refund of License Fee	20.00
Presiding Officers and Poll Clerks	14.00
Stewart, Miss M.—Voters' Lists	10.00
Union of Municipalities—Annual Fee	10.00
Winchester, Stewart—Truckage	9.75
Winchester, W. S.—Truckage	6.00
Robertson, James—Parts for Grader	8.72
Plans for Memorial Garden	8.14
Shortlife, A. E.—Poll Tax Refunded	2.00
Weir, Elmer—Poll Tax Refunded	2.00
Safety Deposit Box, Bank of Nova Scotia	2.00
Officer, Office Box	5.00
Bishop, H. R.—Commission on Taxes Collected	5.00
Eisner, Clarence—Caretaker of Dump	5.00
Sundry Small Accounts	15.52
Digby Motors—Gasoline, Oil and Parts for Truck	328.89
Digby Garage—Gasoline, Oil and Parts for Truck	305.24
Hayden, Frank K.—Gasoline for Truck	52.25
Warne, H. T.—Labor and Parts for Truck	35.07
Wilson, F. A.—Labor and Parts for Truck	22.70
Milberry, J. P.—Gasoline for Truck	2.22
Smith & Turner, Gasoline for Truck	2.15
	\$4,167.67

TOWN HALL EXPENDITURE	
Carty, C. H.—Building New Porch	\$206.65
Turnbull, A. R.—Coal	76.59
Electric Light—Coal	24.00
Franklin, J. E.—Coal	31.45
Maritime Telephone	61.25
Electric Light	45.27
Stamp Assurance	31.50
Plumbing	35.00
Newcombe & Abbott—Stationery	21.00
P. J. J. Stationery	3.49
Val J. B. Print—Stationery	4.35
Town of Digby—Water	10.00

Express—C. P. R.	5.58
Holdsforth, W. L.—Plumbing	4.70
Sundries	9.75
	\$478.75

POOR AND CHARITIES EXPENDITURE		\$449.15
Nova Scotia Hospital—J. Amiraux		\$ 194.80
Digby General Hospital—Ralph Winchester		639.00
Digby General Hospital—Thomas Medford		54.00
Digby General Hospital—Mrs. Marie Raymond		33.00
Director of Child Welfare—Betty Daley		182.25
Digby Children's Aid Society—Pervain O'Neill		106.39
Digby Children's Aid Society—Isabel Small		43.00
Turnbull, A. R.—Groceries for Harold Thomas		101.94
Warne, H. T.—Wood for Harold Thomas		17.50
Warne, H. T.—Wood for Oscar VanTassel family		17.50
Small, R. C.—Groceries for Oscar VanTassel family		59.54
Warne, H. T.—Groceries for Fred Parker		9.06
Holdsword, E. W.—Drugs for Ralph Winchester		31.00
Collins, Kinsley—Groceries for Thomas Medford		36.77
Harris, F. W.—Rent for Fred Parker		50.00
Bragg, George—Rent for Fred Parker		12.00
Burns, Dr. Lawrence—Medical—Rent for Fred Parker		43.00
Funeral Services, Reg'd—Burial of Mrs. Fred. O'Neill		35.00
Shelton, A. A.—Groceries for Mrs. Fred O'Neill		4.98
McCormack & Sons—Groceries for Fred Parker		8.25
Alcorn, Frank—Groceries for Oscar VanTassel		4.56
Alcorn, Frank—Groceries for Oscar VanTassel		5.00
Transients		6.65
		\$2,300.00



Bridge Parties at Smith's Cove

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Longworth entertained at Bridge and Forty-Fives on Tuesday evening last. The prize winners for Bridge were Mrs. MacNaughton and Donald Cossaboon. The Forty-Fives winners were: Ladies first, Miss Mary Elizabeth Stills; gentlemen first, Edward Payson; consolation prizes went to Miss Katherine Weir and Mrs. Brooks. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cossaboon entertained at Bridge and Forty Fives at their charming new home, Monday evening.

DELINEATOR

Miss Saunders, Butterick representative, is at our store taking subscriptions for the Delineator magazine. Special offer, 1 year, 85c (called for); \$1.00 mailed.—Wright's.

CARD

To the Ratepayers of the Town of Digby

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—Having been nominated for a seat in the Town Council, and finding it impossible to see you all in the short time before the election, I take this opportunity of soliciting your support. If elected I will do all in my power to serve your best interests.

CARD

To the Ratepayers of the Town of Digby

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—Having been nominated as one of the candidates for the council in the coming civic election, I take this opportunity of soliciting your support. If the good people of Digby will elect me you may be sure I will work for the best interests of the town.

CLASSIFIED ADS

HOTEL FOR SALE—I have for sale as a going concern, a hotel in a thriving town in the Valley, fifteen bedrooms, thoroughly furnished throughout, and in good repair, except for a little paint and paper. Present owner has carried it on for about thirty years. Only hotel in the town, and does a good business, which could be increased. Part of purchase price may remain on mortgage.—J. J. Wallis, Digby.

AT PRIVATE SALE—On Saturday January 31st, from 2 in the afternoon, at Coss Cottage, corner 1st Avenue and Mount Street, a quantity of Household Furniture, including a few choice Antiques: Bedding, etc., etc.

WANTED AT ONCE—Two men to do factory repairs. Special attention paid to Phonograph repairs; spring for all makes on hand. All work guaranteed.—Chas D Greene, Box 135, Annapolis Royal, N. S. 8 tr.

WATCH AND CLOCK REPAIRING—Send your time pieces for satisfactory repairs. Special attention paid to Phonograph repairs; spring for all makes on hand. All work guaranteed.—Chas D Greene, Box 135, Annapolis Royal, N. S. 8 tr.

FIRST-CLASS Watch and Clock Repairing at Bear River.—Over 15 years' experience. We pay return postage on Watches sent by mail. All work guaranteed.—S. G. Parker, Bear River, N. S. 17 tr.

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Hereafter I will not be responsible for any debt contracted in my name unless approved by my attorney. I, Mae Parker, (Signed) Arthur Moore, Weymouth, N. S. 25 tr.

FOR ADOPTION—A bright baby Girl, five months old.—Apply to P. O. Box 12, Digby, N. S. 25 tr.

EARN \$5 TO \$10 PER DAY Ambitious, reliable men wanted at once. Part time pay while training for Aviation Mechanics, Garge Work, Driving, Battery, Electric Acetylene Welding, House Wiring, Industrial Electricity, Washinist, Bricklaying, Plastering, Drafting, Barbering and Hairdressing. Act quick, get your application in now. Write or call for information.

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Westport Sewing Circle Elects Officers

The Willing Workers Sewing Circle, of Westport, appointed the following officers at their regular meeting on Thursday last:

President—Mrs. Randolph-Gow.
Vice President—Mrs. Albert Thompson.
Secretary—Mrs. John Swift.
Treasurer—Mrs. Maude Denton.
Social Committee—Mrs. K. V. Watkins, Mrs. John Swift, Mrs. Holland Titus and Mrs. Ernest McDormand.

Freeport Sunday School Class Entertained by Teacher

R. E. Morrell entertained his Sunday School class on Friday evening. They presented him with a copy of "Peloubet's Notes" for the 1931 Sunday School lessons. A very fine evening was enjoyed by the twenty-two members present, during which time games were played and refreshments served. The following officers were appointed for the ensuing year:

President—Mrs. J. A. Crocker.
Vice-President—Mrs. John Pinfagan.
Secretary—Mrs. Robt. Tibert.
Treasurer—Mrs. Lloyd Blackford.

FREEPORT

Miss Wilhelmina Thurber has returned from Kempville, where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Warren Grey.

Miss Freda Outhouse was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Bates for a few days last week.

The Thimble Party met at Mrs. Charles Morrell's on Monday evening.

Mrs. G. A. Thurber entertained the "Live Wires" (C. G. I. T. group) on Monday evening.

Rev. A. W. Akerley exchanged pulpits with Rev. H. H. Phinney on Sunday evening last.

Here and There

(1931)
More than two million fingerling salmon and 40,000 trout yearlings were placed in Nova Scotia lakes and streams during 1930 from the fish hatchery at Lake George.

About \$80,000,000 was spent in Canada in 1930 on hydro-electric power development and it is expected that fully \$300,000,000 will be spent for a similar purpose during the next three years.

Consumption of natural gas in Canada during 1929 for domestic purposes was calculated to be sufficient to displace 640,000 tons of coal. Natural gas is found in abundance in Alberta and some parts of Western Ontario, and the Maritime Provinces.

Province of New Brunswick's representation at Sportsmen's Shows in the United States this year will be larger than ever and no territory will be invaded. Its first exhibit will be at the New England Sportsmen's Show at Boston, February 1-12, and also at the Philadelphia Sportsmen's and Motor Boat Show, February 21-23.

Six thousand pounds of unfrozen white fish from Northern Saskatchewan recently went from Canadian Pacific from Prince Albert to Winnipeg and points beyond. It was carried 150 miles to Prince Albert by aeroplane in one hour and a quarter, a trip that would by ordinary means have taken from eight to eleven days.

When a 22-year-old woman recently fell from the wharf at Pier D, Vancouver, into the dangerous rip tide of Burrard Inlet, William Elliott, assistant chief clerk of the British Columbia Coast Steamships of the Canadian Pacific Railway, without hesitation dived in and after a 20-minute battle in the chill waters succeeded in getting her ashore. The woman will recover.

All Canada from hours of overtures to dessert was represented at the first dinner served to the former Governor-General of Canada, Viscount Willingdon, on Canadian Pacific liner Montclair, which sailed for England recently, starting with Saint John oysters. It included supreme of Nova Scotia sole, saddle of western lamb, roast Ontario chicken, and bomb aspic leaf as a sweet.

Work has started on the building of the British Columbia link of the Trans-Canada Telephone Line. A direct system through the Crow's Nest Pass in Alberta will be provided to replace the present system of routing telephone calls to and from British Columbia across the United States via Seattle. The proposed system will cost \$1,250,000 and will involve some 655 miles of telephone line, 125 miles of which have already been built.

Marriage at sea has happened before and it likely happen again, but the distinction of being married at sea is claimed to be unique and this occurred when two infant children were married in mid-Atlantic by Dr. Oliver C. Rankin, Scottish minister aboard Canadian Pacific liner Minnedosa, recently. The mothers and children were coming out to Canada from Great Britain and the minister is giving a course of lectures at McGill University.

Personal Mention

J. A. Mulse, of Weymouth, was in town on Monday.
Mrs. J. McKinnon left on Friday for Saint John on a visit to friends.
Mrs. M. Leves, of Weymouth, was in town on Thursday last.

Miss Vera MacHugh, of Smith's Cove, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Weber.

Reg. Powell, of the Maritime Fish Corporation, was in Halifax on business recently.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Warne left on Monday for Florida, where they will spend several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Shreve, of Halifax, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

Eleanor, left last Friday for Boston to spend a few weeks with relatives.

Coun. H. F. Williams has been to Halifax this week to attend a meeting of the agents of the Canada Life.

Little Barbara Syda was a patient at hospital this week to undergo an operation for tonsils and adenoids.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Fleet are spending a short time in West Ingleville, at Mrs. Fleet's former home.

Mildred Outhouse, R. N., who was the week end guest of her aunt, Miss Bishop, returned to Saint John on Monday.

Malcolm MacIntyre, bookkeeper on the Standard Construction Company's job at the government wharf, has returned from a trip to Halifax.

Miss Margaret Holdsworth has returned to her home in Dartmouth, having spent the past few months with her aunt, Mrs. George Holdsworth, Carleton St.

R. L. McLatchey, inspector of customs, was in town on Friday en route to Freeport where he held an examination for candidates for the office of collector at that port. He returned on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Loran Hayden entertained a large number of their friends on Tuesday evening in honor of their eighth wedding anniversary. The party was held at Kumbfort Cottage, on the Lighthouse Road, and a most enjoyable evening was spent in cards and dancing. The couple were the recipients of many lovely gifts.

Fair Isle Rebekah Lodge Installs Officers

Fair Isle Rebekah Lodge, No. 92, I. O. O. F., of Freeport, held its semi-annual installation of officers on Thursday evening last. Following are the names of those who were sworn in:

N. G.—Lillian Belle Campbell
R. S.—Annie Tibert
F. S.—Bessie G. Thurber
F. S.—Lillian Thurber
Treas.—Nellie Thurber
Warden—Elizabeth Morrell
Conductor—Ada J. Thurber
Chaplain—Jennie Ring
R. S. N. G.—Lena Perry
L. S. N. G.—Leta Finigan
L. S. V. G.—Florence Blackford
L. S. V. G.—Agnes Whittecut
O. G.—Zilla Thurber
J. P. G.—Helen Finigan

Valentine Card Party for V. O. N.

Please reserve Thursday evening, February 12th, for the Valentine Card Party, for the benefit of the V. O. N. Further notice next week.

Women's Institute Correspondence Course

The Women's Institute Organization is one of the most wide-awake and progressive organizations in the Province of Nova Scotia today. On account of its wide-spread activity, knowledge and its practical value, the Women's Institute is an asset to any community.

When the first Women's Institute was started in the Province of Ontario over thirty years ago, it was definitely for the purpose of spreading knowledge and its practical value. Particularly for the women in country districts and small towns, in order that they might have the same opportunities which are more readily available in the larger towns and cities.

The organization has grown tremendously since its inception, and has expanded to include community interests and activities. The interests of the home and its needs, however, must always be maintained as the primary purpose for its existence.

The Women's Institute Division of Agriculture, which directs the policy of the branch Women's Institutes is constantly carrying forward educational work by means of demonstrations, lectures, short courses. Assistance is also given to the Women's Institute members throughout the Province in planning programmes of study for their meetings, and material is provided to help carry out these plans. One of the most popular and successful activities yet attempted by the Women's Institute is the Correspondence Course in Home Economics, which is being conducted at the present time.

During the summer of 1930 a very special effort was made to reach those sections of our Province where very little Women's Institute work has been attempted. Three special instructors were engaged for the summer months. Instead of giving only one lecture in a place, a constructive programme was planned, and the demonstrator visited places at stated intervals.

The lessons consist of general instruction in food selection and preparation, and each lesson gives a number of reliable recipes. They are sent out monthly. Clubs were formed to study and discuss the lessons, and recipes which the members have tried. Also a series of questions are forwarded, which help to direct attention to the most important points in each lesson.

The course while really planned for beginners in the work is of interest to experienced home makers as well, and has been offered to branch Women's Institutes throughout the Province. At present writing there are fifty-six Study Clubs taking the Correspondence Course, with a total membership of seven hundred and fifty.

BORN

Shreve—At Halifax, January 26th, 1931, to Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Shreve, a daughter.

VanTassel—At Digby, January 19th, 1931, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. VanTassel, a daughter—Gertrude Stella, weight 8 pounds.

Ross—At the Robinson Memorial Hospital, Boston, Mass., January 21, 1931, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter V. Ross, 40 Winthrop Street, Roxbury, Mass., a daughter.

Difficulty in Reaching Patient

Mrs. Kenneth P. Dakin, of Centerville, underwent a successful operation, on Sunday morning, at her home. Dr. DuVernet, of Digby, and Dr. Rice, of Sandy Cove, performed the operation. Dr. DuVernet was unable to reach Centerville, on Sunday morning and keep his appointment, therefore only a trying experience.

Finding the upper end of the Neck road so filled with drifts, after a big storm of Saturday night, that although he attempted to shovel his way clear, he was unable to get through. He returned to town, and took the road across the head of the St. Mary's Bay. This road was comparatively free from drifts and he proceeded as far as Griffiths Brook Hill, when the ring gear of his car broke. A telephone message summoned Dr. Rice to his aid and together they proceeded to Centerville. Later Dr. DuVernet's car was towed to Digby.

TIVERTON

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Denton and son George, of Westport, are spending a few days with Mrs. Denton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Merrill P. Outhouse.

Miss Pearl Outhouse is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Reginald Titus, at Central Grove.

Walter Thompson, of Lakeside, visited relatives and old friends here last week.

Miss Freda Outhouse visited friends at Freeport and Westport last week. Mrs. Rachel Greenlaw is ill.

Gordon Cossaboon, of Smith's Cove, was in town on Sunday.

Calvin Cossing visited relatives at Lakeside recently.

E. H. Raymond, of Centerville, was in town on Sunday.

Death Of Prominent Smith's Cove Resident

Herbert Huntington Woodman, one of the best known men in this section of Nova Scotia, died at his home in Smith's Cove, on Monday evening, after an illness of many months' duration. He was a son of the late Crocker and Eliza Woodman, of Smith's Cove, and was born in that village 72 years ago. He is survived by his widow, who was Miss May Cossaboon, one son, Herbert L. of Digby, and three daughters, Mrs. M. D. Woodman, of Kentville; and Misses Elizabeth and Stella, at home. Mr. Woodman was deeply interested in the religious life of the country, and was a deacon in the Smith's Cove United Baptist Church, and for many years had been the superintendent of the Sunday School. Kindly and good hearted he had a list of friends who will sympathize with those left to mourn. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon.

Freeport Young People Hold Debate

The young people of Freeport held a debate on Friday evening last, on "Resolved, That woman has done more for civilization than man." This was debated by the following: Affirmative, Misses Evelyn Thurber, Evelyn Finigan; Negative, Bradford Finigan, Randall Prime.

The judges were Rev. A. W. Akerley, Ralph E. Morrell and Ralph Perry. They gave their decision, two to one, in favor of the affirmative. This was the first debate given by the B. Y. F. U. One is being planned for the last Friday night in every month.

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It Will Soon be the Lenten Season.

Lent is less than three weeks away. Ash Wednesday, which marks the opening of the solemn season falls this year, on February 12th, lasting until Easter which occurs on April 5th.

Scott Hankinson, of Weymouth, won the highest weekly score at the Weymouth Bowling Academy last week.

PILES

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Card Party Is Held at Beech Hill Camp

An enjoyable whist party was held at Beech Hill Camp, Hectanooga, on Thursday evening of last week, when a number of young people from Salmon River, Lake Doucet, and Hectanooga, gathered there for a quiet game of whist, to be followed by a rabbit supper. There were three tables in play. The first prize was won by Eugene Comeau, of Salmon River, while the consolation prize was awarded to Henry D. Deveau, also of Salmon River. Sharply at ten o'clock play ceased and the company took their places around a table loaded with rabbits cooked in various ways. The menu was prepared by that excellent chef, Auguste E. Comeau, of Salmon River. After the repeat songs were rendered by J. A. DeVaux, of Hectanooga, W. Deveau, of Lake Doucet, and E. Comeau, of Salmon River.

NOTICE TO LOBSTER FISHERMEN

As March 1st, the legal day for setting traps, falls on a Sunday, the Department of Fisheries have decided to allow traps, to be set on Saturday, February 28th.

Ralph Cosseboom

Naughty Mice Raid Kneety "Strong Box" and Owner Is Poorer

A story of the strange depredations of a band of mice and the destruction of \$250 in cash has been received here from Conception. Philip Boudreau, of that place, is the possessor of a large old-fashioned chest which served for him the purpose of a strong box. It is made of red oak, and in one side of it was a knot, which, through age, had become so dry and loose that it apparently dropped out. In the chest Boudreau kept his savings. A day or so ago, requiring some money, he went to the chest, only to find that the mice had preceded him, discovered the nice roll of paper money and gnawed and mutilated it to such an extent that it was worthless. The banks would not redeem any part of it.

Little River Girl Married at White Head

A quiet wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Frankland, at White Head, Grand Maran, on January 20th, when Audrey F. Frost, of Little River, became the bride of Edgar J. Merritt, of Sandy Cove. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. E. Pince, pastor of the White Head Baptist church.

Ravens Beat Berwick, 6-4, In Fast Game

The Digby Ravens on Friday night showed that they were still the same old Ravens, defeating by a score of 6 to 4, the Berwick Bruins, in their first game of the season. The exhibition game was played in the Victoria rink on a splendid sheet of ice and before a good crowd of enthusiastic fans. The Ravens managed to pile up five scores before the visitors scored. In the first period Walker, allpe one first Kaddy on Byron's rebound Melanson scored another for the home team about two minutes afterwards. With Denton and Smith both serving penalties, Berwick fought hard to score but the period ended 2-0 for the Ravens. During the second, Smith and Hyson both slipped a rubber into Berwick's net. Blinn found the net five minutes later. Berwick lost two good chances to score with the Digby net wide open, and Daley managed to slip but their shots went wild. Hutchinson and Lloyd scored in the opening whistle. Blinn managed to make a score in this period. Two other Digby goals were disallowed. Hutchinson and Daley, who played last year with the Ravens, played a wonderful game for the visitors. Lloyd also put up a good game. Neither defence was as good as they might have been. Sydney Smith, who just made the Ravens this year, shows the makings of a real hockey player. Hyson played a splendid game but was not quite in his usual form. Walker was better than ever. The second forward line of the Ravens played good combination. Victor Turnbull refereed.

Berwick Bruins—Goal, Kaddy; defence, C. Nichols, Tom Parker; forwards, Hutchinson, Daley, H. Lloyd, B. Ward, G. Kinsman. Digby Ravens—Goal, Eldridge; defence, F. Mulse, S. Denton; forwards, C. Walker, C. Hyson, S. Smith, J. Melanson, P. Blinn, Ed. Melanson.

Jesse V. Jefferson, of Digby, who started lumbering operations at South Range, last year, has recently purchased more timber lots in the vicinity of his mill from different parties, including a splendid block of spruce from Albert Robbins, and a giving employment to a large crew of men in the woods and at the mill, which he has had to enlarge in order to take care of the additional supply of logs. A fleet of motor trucks transport the lumber from the mill to St. Mary's Bay for shipment to foreign markets and to local orders as well. Mr. Jefferson has marketed an immense quantity of wood for household purposes during the summer and is utilizing all the edgings and trimmings for fuel, creating a by-product which helps materially in paying operating costs.

Men of Baptist Church Hold Interesting Meeting

On Thursday evening last over fifty men of the congregation of the Baptist church assembled in the vestry for a social evening of good fellowship. The committee in charge—G. H. Peters, M. C. Denton and F. L. Anderson—did their work well. An excellent supper was provided and was well served. A radio, installed for the occasion, gave entertainment during the evening and interesting and inspiring speeches were given by H. B. Short, M. P. Bernard Havey, and others. Several vocal selections were rendered by the male quartette, besides the general singing of hymns. Paul Yates presided at the piano. Those present expressed themselves as well pleased with the evening and it was decided to hold such meetings monthly. An organization was formed with G. H. Peters, president, and Vernon Franklin, secretary. The committee in charge for the next meeting consists of Hubert M. Warner, S. M. Raymond, and B. H. Ruggles.

How Good Are You on Guess?

You may choose any article shown in Connell's windows as a prize if you can name the book the clerk had in mind when trimming these windows.

A card will show the name next week end. Hand in your titles before Friday, Feb. 13th, at this store. Connell's.

Mrs. Shortliffe Will Entertain Sewing Circle

The Hospital Sewing Circle was well attended on Wednesday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Harold Riecker. Mrs. A. A. Shortliffe will be the hostess next Wednesday, and all are cordially invited to attend.

Personal Mention

David Daley spent the week end in town. Mrs. Abbott has been visiting in town. Miss Catherine Weir is visiting her brother, in town.

Wm. Hutchinson, of Berwick, spent the week end in town. Mrs. James Moody is very seriously ill at her home in Halifax.

Carlos Connell spent last week end in town with his parents. Miss Nancy Morhouse, of New York, is visiting her home in Digby.

Miss Blenn, of Ganning, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Bowley.

Mr. Parsons, of the Parsons Construction Co., was in town on business this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrester Eisner are in Kentville, where Mrs. Eisner is receiving medical attention.

Mrs. E. C. Sollows is at present at the Nova Scotia Hotel, where she expects to remain for the balance of the winter.

Mrs. Walter Hensley, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Ellis, of Queen Street, returned to her home in Lynn, Mass., on Tuesday.

Mrs. DuVernet and Miss DuVernet entertained at four tables of bridge on Tuesday afternoon. The prize winners were Mrs. McGill, Miss Gilpin and Mrs. Margaret.

Miss Doris Powell was in town on Wednesday, coming from Saint John, where she has completed her training at the Tuberculosis Hospital. She was returning to Yarmouth to complete her training there.

Mrs. Riecker entertained at ten tables of forty-five on Monday evening, the prize winners being Mrs. Melaney, Mr. Ayate and Mrs. E. Surte. The next card social will be held at the home of Mrs. A. Ross, Mrs. Ross and Mrs. Melaney being conveners.

DEEP BROOK

Mrs. Harry MacLaren, of Manchester, N. H., George Spurr, of Yarmouth; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Spurr, of Kentville, were here to attend the funeral of the late Capt. Spurr. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Spurr.

Mrs. J. D. Spurr and Miss Harriet Spurr both of Annapolis Royal, have been here this week, the former at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Spurr and the latter as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Spurr.

SCOUT NEWS

Come On Out!

The Scout meeting opened last Friday night in the horseshoe. The attendance, though small, was excusable, because of the hockey match. After the horseshoe some scout work was taken up. An entertainment committee was appointed to take care of any future scout entertainments. The prospects of the scout basketball team going to Annapolis and playing the team there were discussed. It was decided that the team would do so in the near future. The debate, "Resolved, that the game laws should be more vigorously enforced," was won by the Wolf Patrol, in the affirmative. The meeting closed about nine o'clock with the horseshoe, and prayer.

The cub meeting was well attended. It is marvellous to see how the cubs are progressing with their work. The cub master is considering starting a new six, or patrol. This is because so many of the youngsters are applying for membership in the cubs.

On Sunday last the Scouts and Cubs attended the Church of England.

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THE REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING OF THE CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY WILL BE HELD IN THE TOWN HALL THIS AFTERNOON AT 4 O'CLOCK.

Interesting Is of Great Interest In Nova Scotia

Of more than usual interest in Nova Scotia is the report of the marriage of Miss Mary Louise Ross and Thomas Augustine Norris which took place on the morning of Jan. 17, at St. Margaret's church, Dorchester, Mass. Rev. Wm. A. Ryan, pastor of the church, was assisted in the ceremony by Rev. Leo Sullivan. Immediately following the breakfast, a reception and wedding breakfast took place in the Charming ball-room at Lengwood Towers, Brookline, for 150 relatives and guests.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Ross, of Dorchester and Digby, whose 25th wedding anniversary was their daughter's wedding day. Mrs. Ross, who was Miss Grace Margaret Murphy, of Digby, had as her special guest, Mrs. Charles Cooper of Dorchester, Mass., who, as Miss Caroline O'Connor, was her bridesmaid at her wedding 25 years ago in Digby.

The bride wore a white satin gown with a tulle cap and veil and carried a bridal bouquet of call lilies. The maid of honor, Miss Marion H. Flavin, of Dorchester, wore a pale yellow tulle dress gown with a turquoise hat and carried tallman roses. The two bridesmaids, Miss Mary Norris and Miss Muriel Ross, wore in turquoise gowns, with pale yellow hats and carried bouquets of yellow tea roses. Grace Marie Ross and Angela Keefe were the flower girls.

Mrs. Norris, who is the son of Mrs. Josephine Norris, of Dorchester, Mass., had as his best man, Phillip Cotter, of West Roxbury, and as ushers, Russell W. Ross, Thomas Blair Ross and Charles Moran, all of Dorchester, and William B. Hills, of Cambridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris will spend their honeymoon at New Orleans, La., and will later make their home in Dorchester. All of the principals are summer residents of Digby.

Death of the Widow of Bishop Jaggar

Mary Elizabeth Jellison, widow of Bishop Jaggar, passed away after a brief illness, on Wednesday evening, at the home of her sister, Mrs. Theodore Gerhart, in West Roxbury, Mass. Her illness was due to an attack of the "flu", now prevalent in the Eastern United States, which passed into pneumonia. This news will come as a great shock to Mrs. Jaggar's many friends in Paris, in Boston, New York and Washington, and in Nova Scotia, where she and her sister, Mrs. Edwin Ward, had lately purchased a summer cottage on land belonging to Bishop Jaggar's estate in Smith's Cove.

She was a favorite of the Harbor View summer colony, to which it will be a real loss. Although Mrs. Jaggar was a little over middle life she was comparatively young, and a beautiful woman. She leaves four sisters, Mrs. Annie Patterson, of New York, formerly of Providence, R. I.; Mrs. Tuttle, of Cambridge; and the two already mentioned above. These sisters, with the exception of Mrs. Tuttle, have all visited Smith's Cove at one time or another; and Mrs. Patterson's two beautiful daughters Mrs. Sharp, of Boston, and Miss Hope Patterson, as well as Mrs. Gerhart's daughter, Anna, will be remembered among the young people of the Harbor View colony.

The funeral will take place in Trinity church, Boston, today; the church of which Arthur Kinsolving, Jr., is now rector, who is related by marriage to Bishop Jaggar; his uncle, Bishop Herbert Kinsolving, of Texas, having married Bishop Jaggar's sister.

The deceased was Bishop Jaggar's second wife, and so leaves also a stepson, Professor Thomas Augustus Jaggar, volcanologist, of Hawaii; and a step daughter, Anna Louise Jaggar, now residing in Smith's Cove, who owns the residence on Jaggar Point.

Remington Representative Here on Tuesday

Mr. A. O. L. Cameron, Remington Typewriters Limited, will be in Digby on Tuesday, February 10th. He will be glad to call on anyone wishing information regarding Typewriters, Adding Machines, Mimeographs, Addressing Machines and Safes. Please leave message at the Waverly Hotel, and he will call.

Church Point Wins Over Digby

The Digby High School hockey team was defeated on Wednesday evening, when the Church Point Pirates ran up a score of 4-2 against them. This was the second of a series of games the first of which was won by Digby. The Pirates will meet them again in the near future.

The regular monthly meeting of the Children's Aid Society will be held in the Town Hall this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Capt. Wm. F. Spurr Dies at Deep Brook

Capt. William Frank Spurr died at his home in Deep Brook, late Friday night, after a heart attack, at the age of 74 years. He was the eldest of the family of the late Capt. William V. and Emma (Dittmars) Spurr, and is survived by two daughters and two sons, Alice, (Mrs. MacLaren) Manchester, N. Y.; Robert, (Mrs. Bunstead), New Jersey; Arch, in New Westminster, B. C.; and Frank H., master of the oil tanker William H. Doherty, of the Pan-American Petroleum and Transport Company, New York. There are also three sisters and two brothers. Mrs. F. W. Rice and Miss E. Blanchette, of Central Falls, R. I.; Grace, of Boston; George, of Yarmouth; Roy, of Vancouver; Edward W., retired commodore of the Panama Railroad and Steamship Company, now residing at West Roxbury, N. Y.; Robert and Shipley, of Deep Brook. His wife, who before her marriage was Alice Crosby, died nearly nine years ago. It was only after he was torpedoed off the Kentish Crook lightship, in the Great War, that he retired, owing to broken health. The funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon.

Ex-Councillor Ruggles Found Dead in Bed

St. Clair Ruggles, of Tiverton was found dead in his bed on Wednesday morning, having passed away in his sleep some time during the night. He was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin H. Ruggles, of Westport, and was born in that town 62 years ago. Early in life he went to Tiverton, where he ever since made that place his home. For a number of years he sat for that district in the Municipal Council. In religion he was a faithful member of the United Baptist church, and in politics a strong liberal. A good citizen in every sense of the word, he will be greatly missed on the Islands. He leaves two sons, Irvin H., of Tiverton, and Benjamin H., of Digby; and three daughters, Mrs. John Clifford, Miss Sarah, and Mrs. James Outhouse, all of Tiverton.

Victorian Order of Nurses Announcements

The monthly meeting of the local branch of the Victorian Order of Nurses for Canada will be held on Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, in the Court House, on the main floor.

The Valentine Card Party, for the benefit of the V. O. N., will be held on Thursday next, in the court house. See ad. in another column.

Hospital Aid sets Date for Sale

On Saturday, February 28, an afternoon tea and bazaar sale, under the auspices of the Ladies' Hospital Aid, will be held in Mrs. VanBlarcom's store. Kindly keep the date in mind.

Sunday Services In Trinity Parish

8 a. m.—Holy Communion
11 a. m.—Matins and Sermon
3 p. m.—Service at Marshfield
7 p. m.—Evangelical and Sermon (Special music)
Choir practice tonight at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Howard Steele, of Southville, Passes

The death occurred at Southville on Friday, January 23rd, of Mrs. Howard Steele, after an illness of only a few hours, at the age of 65 years. Deceased was, before her marriage, Miss Bessie Abbott, of Marshfield. She was a true Christian woman of sterling character, and to know her was to love her. She will be greatly missed in her home, where she was a loving and faithful wife and mother; in the community, where she was a friend to all; and in the Southville Christian church, to which she belonged and attended so faithfully.

The funeral was held on Tuesday, January 27th, from her late home in Southville, and thence to the Christian church nearby, where the service was conducted by Rev. Mr. Amery, pastor of the Weymouth North United Baptist church. Interment was made in the Southville cemetery.

Besides the sorrowing husband, there are left to mourn, one son, Herman, of Southville; six daughters, (Sadie) Mrs. Adelbert Prime, Weymouth North; (Mary) Mrs. Elmer Middleton, Squantum, Mass.; (Rachel) Mrs. Clarence Prime, Hasset; (Nettie) Mrs. Elijah Wagner, Danvers; (Edna) Mrs. Roy Thomas, Squantum, Mass.; and Miss Flora at home. Also fourteen grandchildren; and one sister, Mrs. Hanford Daley, and one brother, Thomas Abbott, both of Marshfield. Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved, particularly for the youngest daughter, Miss Flora, who has been so faithful in remaining at home to be with her mother.

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IF YOU DANCE YOU'LL PAY THE
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(Picture Advocate)

The most sensational news of the past week was the killing of William P. Chuet, of Lunenburg, master of the Josephine K., a power boat which was running run to the American coast. Chuet was killed when his boat was struck by a shell fired from an American revenue cutter. The affair is most regrettable as we have every reason to believe that Chuet was killed and for his relatives, but we can't work up any excessive indignation against the Americans in this matter. The Canadians who man these run-runners are paid highly on account of the risk they run when they make a slip in playing the game the only thing to do is to take their medicine like men. There is an old saying that somewhat applies here to the effect that if you want to dance you have to pay the fiddler. If you want to make big money in run-running you have to take the risks.

GERMAN ECONOMY

Governmental economy in Germany is something to make Canadians open their eyes. First a number of public officials took voluntary salary cuts. Now, with the approval of President von Hindenburg, the Reich has sent around word to all government departments that because of the economic stringency of official receipts as well as society functions should be kept down to an irreducible minimum. People who must entertain are urged to get along without elaborate or lavish social affairs.

In this country that might be regarded as lowering the standard of living, and therefore a backward step. But if the Germans carry out these proposals with their usual thoroughness, they may make it hard for the critics in other countries who claim Germany is not playing fair with the rest of the world.

A KAY OF HOPE

Crepe hangers are not having it all their own way in these times of tottering confidence. Here and there the voice of undimmed faith rises above the funeral wail to tell the world that all is not lost. Thus the cheerful optimism of St. Thomas, Ont., who has been diligently searching for a peg on which all may hang hope. He finds that the years 1903, 1912, 1921, and 1930 were all years of black despair, and in each case the figures in these years, when added together, total 13, the unlucky number. So the accounts for the load in the beer mug! The year 1931 foots up to 14 and there will be no more "13" years till 2029. That ought to help some.

LET 'EM HAVE IT!

Much has been written from time to time on the subject of corporal punishment in the schools, many writers suggesting that it be abolished altogether and the strap relegated to some museum, where it could be regarded as a relic of torture, used in a time when people were deficient in common sense. But our humble opinion is that the strap should still be used, of course with limitations, because it is one of the most effective persuasive measures that could be adopted. Most teachers at the present time use the strap as a last resort, but with telling effect, and those who feel its application are the ones who need it most.

Auto Accident at Smith's Cove

What might have been a serious accident happened at Smith's Cove on Thursday afternoon last, when E. Stewart, of Bear River, was driving his car from Digby towards Bear River. Near Smith's Cove station he attempted to avoid the ruts in the icy road, but his car skidded and turned over. Mr. Stewart was pinned beneath the car and held prisoner until released by a number of men who happened along shortly afterwards. Mr. Stewart only sustained minor cuts and bruises and a bad shaking-up.

Rainbow Lodge Held Installation Ceremony

At its regular meeting on Wednesday evening Rainbow Lodge, No. 113, I. O. O. F., of Tiverton, saw an enthusiastic gathering of its members. The principal work of the evening was the installation of officers, which was done by District Deputy Grand Master, E. Pugh, and staff of Junior Lodge, of Westport.

A fitting conclusion to a busy session was the serving of clam chowder, pie, cake, tea and coffee. All present an evening well spent.

THIRD SESSION OF Dr. Lambert Now N. S. LEGISLATURE Endorses Sargon WILL OPEN FEB. 19.

The third session of the present Nova Scotia Legislature is to open on Thursday afternoon, February 19th. This was the announcement made recently by Col. the Hon. G. S. Harrington, Premier of Nova Scotia, following a Government meeting which lasted all day. Last year the legislature did not meet until March 5, but that date was due to a delay in the completion of the legislative programme as a result of the by-election which was held in Halifax in January of that year.

The 1931 Session of the Local House will witness many changes in the personnel of the Legislature. Since the House met last year Hon. G. S. Harrington has succeeded Hon. E. N. Rhodes as Prime Minister, six members, four Liberals and two Conservatives in the Legislature have resigned, Hon. Albert Parsons has become a member of the Government and Hon. Dr. G. H. Murphy, formerly a member of the Government without portfolio has become Minister of Public Health.

The members who sat in the House last year and will not be there for the present session are Hon. E. N. Rhodes, who resigned to become Minister of Fisheries, Hon. Frank Stanfield, who became Lieutenant Governor of Nova Scotia, and J. J. Kinney, E. J. Cragg, E. C. Doyle and D. A. Cameron, all of whom resigned to contest seats in the Federal election.

It is not anticipated that the approaching session of the Legislature will be a lengthy one. The problem of unemployment and the manner in which the Governments have dealt with it and will deal with it, is likely to be one of the subjects which will engage the attention of the House when it opens next month. A great amount of unemployment relief work has been carried out in Nova Scotia.

The Nova Scotia Liquor Control Act, having been in force only a short time, it is not likely that the Government will introduce many amendments at this session as it is thought to be the wish of the Government to ascertain what changes are desirable after observing the operations of the act over a period of at least one year.

Legislation affecting the new Department of Health will no doubt be an important feature of the present Session. By the time the House meets the Minister of Health, Hon. Dr. Murphy will have had time to complete a preliminary survey of the services which he will recommend for attention and improvement, and it is probable that legislative authority will be necessary in many cases.

The subject of Old Age Pensions will also in all probability reappear in the Legislature this year. If the intimation from Ottawa is correct and the Federal Government proposes to introduce legislation providing for the payment of a large proportion of the cost of Old Age Pensions it is probable that the Government of Nova Scotia will have to consider legislation to provide for its participation on whatever basis is determined.

The finances of the province will receive the usual consideration. No intimation has been made as yet as to the probable standing of the finances for the past fiscal year.

Last year the House of Assembly was in Session from March 5 to April 30.

WESTPORT

Mrs. R. V. Watkins left for Halifax on Thursday to spend two weeks with her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Glavin and family have returned to Halifax, after spending the past year in this place.

Hugh Collins, of Little River, is visiting relatives here.

Sidney Morehouse returned from Yarmouth on Monday.

Miss Belva Outhouse has returned to Tiverton.

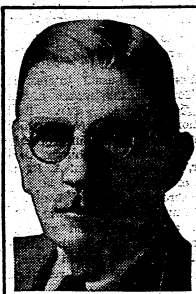
Frank Moore is ill in the Saint John Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanford Smith have returned from Centerville, and are spending the winter with Mr. and Mrs. John Swift.

Chicken Supper Was a Big Success

The ladies of the Kearsdale United Baptist church held a chicken supper on Wednesday evening of last week, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David M. Foster. A large crowd attended, and the supper was pronounced one of the best of the season. The proceeds were \$60.00.

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Sold by P. W. Holdsworth, Drugist, in Digby; and Bear River Drug Store, in Bear River.

Valentine Party at Westport Next Friday Evening

A valentine party will be held in the I. O. O. F. hall, at Westport, next Friday evening. All sorts of games will be played and refreshments will be served during the evening. There will also be ice cream, candy, home baking and fancy work. Every one come and have a good time. Win a prize. See the pretty booths and valentine decorations. Admission, 25 cents. Proceeds for church purposes.



SHERIFF'S SALE

1931 "A" No. 934

IN THE SUPREME COURT BETWEEN:

A. W. WARNER Plaintiff

and

FRANK JONES (appointed to represent the heirs and persons interested in the estate of Alexander MacDonald, deceased) Defendant

"To Be Sold at Public Auction by the Sheriff of the County of Digby, in front of the Court House at Digby, in the said County of Digby, on

Tuesday, the 3rd day of March A. D. 1931, at twelve o'clock noon, pursuant to an Order of Foreclosure and Sale made herein on the 24th day of January, A. D. 1931, unless before the day appointed for such sale the amount due the Plaintiff herein on the Mortgage sought to be foreclosed, be paid to the Plaintiff or his Solicitor.

All the estate, interest and equity of redemption of the mortgage in the land and premises situated, lying and being at Plympton in the County of Digby and bounded as follows: On the North by the Main Post Road; on the East by lands occupied by Joseph H. Potter and a small piece occupied by the Baptist church; on the South by lands of W. K. Smith and on the West by lands of the late Samuel Millberry; thence along Main Post Road to place of beginning, 178 feet or thereabouts; thence South-easterly 677 feet or thereabouts; together with the buildings situated thereon and all the easements and appurtenances to the same belonging.

TERMS.—Ten per cent cash deposit at time of sale, balance on delivery of Deed.

HEBER E. BISHOP

High Sheriff of the County of Digby

FRANK W. NICHOLS

Solicitor for Plaintiff

Dated at Sheriff's Office, Digby, N. S.

January 24th, A. D. 1931

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WEYMOUTH NORTH

Miss Queenie Dale is visiting friends at New Tuxet.

The regular weekly meeting of St. Peter's Guild was held in the Guild hall on Tuesday. At the close of the meeting afternoon tea was served by Miss Simmonds and Mrs. Skidmore.

Mrs. Arnold Lent is supplying on the Weymouth teaching staff, in the absence of Miss Walsh, who is ill.

The Women's Auxiliary of the United Baptist church, met with Mrs. H. M. Mullen on Tuesday evening. Miss Bessie Sabers, of New Tuxet, spent last week with Rev. and Mrs. F. C. Amey, at the United Baptist parsonage.

The Pathfinder C. G. I. T. group met with Miss Eva Wendell on Wednesday evening.

Miss Mary Hankinson, who has been visiting friends at New Tuxet returned home on Tuesday.

Mrs. E. B. Grant entertained at a delightful bridge party on Wednesday afternoon. The prize winners were Mrs. Harrison Jones and Mrs. Grant's mother, Mrs. O'Brien. Delicious refreshments were served. Mrs. Grant entertained again on Friday afternoon.

The young people of this place held a progressive crokinole party at the home of Mrs. Eva Wendell, on Friday evening. There were eight tables, the highest score being made by Winston Mullen, and the next highest by Miss Lulu Sabers. A very enjoyable evening was spent and delicious refreshments were served by the young ladies present.

Vera and Wallace Mullen spent the week end at their home in New Tuxet.

Miss Revona Weaver, who has been employed in Saint John, has returned.

Rev. L. W. Mosher, of Halifax, has accepted a call to this parish, and expects to come about the first of April.

Here and There

(696) Atlantic coast lobster fishermen fared well in 1930 in catch but not so well in prices. Nova Scotia fishermen landed a record catch of 530,000, of which 126,800 pounds were shipped in shell while 2,024 cases of canned lobster were packed.

Boxing on snowshoes will be one of the novelties at the Banff Winter Carnival opening February 7, marking another point in the great battle for popularity honors between snowshoes and skiers. George Sutherland, Alberta fly-weight champion 1928 will be in charge of the bouts.

Roaring down from Edmonton through the Bow River Gap through which 50 years ago the first C.P.R. survey party made its laborious passage, airplanes bearing aquatic stars will steer for Banff where their passengers will take part in the open-air swimming and diving events, unique in winter sports, in the hot springs at the Banff Winter Carnival on February 9.

Toronto and Ontario recently honored their Grand Old Man of railroading, William Fulton, assistant general passenger agent for the Canadian Pacific Railway at Toronto, who had completed 40 years' service with the company. He was guest of honor at the Royal York Hotel at a banquet given in his honor by his fellow-officers of the company to celebrate the occasion.

Letters pour into the radio department of the Canadian Pacific Railway daily in connection with the "Melody Mike" feature every Monday night. One lady, writing from Vulcan, Alta., says in part:—"There were six in my house listening to the broadcast and I know of at least a dozen other radios that were tuned in. I am writing to say how much we enjoyed your broadcast."

Postal history repeated itself February 2, when an air mail service between Winnipeg and Pembina, North Dakota, on the international boundary, was put into effect by the Canadian Postal Department. Pembina was linked up with Winnipeg, thus making it 1857 through the United States mail service. The prairie airmail postal service will be extended by the Federal Government in the near future.

At the fifth corn show held recently under the auspices of the Saskatchewan Corn Growers' Association, one of the finest exhibits of corn in the history of Western Canada was on display. The show was held in preparation for the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference at Regina in 1932, and many entries in the corn classes and in cash prizes in the different classes for corn.

Snowshoers from many parts of Canada and the United States gathered at Quebec City at the end of January to participate in the 18-mile Snowshower Marathon and International Championship Races. The Mayor of Quebec held a reception for the ladies' clubs at the Chateau Frontenac where Canadian snowshoers were later served to the visitors. The Chateau Frontenac was also headquarters of the officials throughout the convention, which included ice canoe races on the St. Lawrence and exhibitions on Dufferin Terrace.

J. H. MORSE, M. C. C. O. will be pleased to receive pupils for Piano, Organ or Voice Instruction

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CANADIAN CARUSO

Young as he is, Jack van der Straeten has attained for himself the title "The Canadian Caruso" and is known throughout Canada as one of the first soloists in the radio field. He made his first appearance at Winnipeg, where he went as a child with his parents from Europe. He has studied at Ghent, Brussels and Paris and has sung in opera in Tunis as well as being leading tenor at the Folies Bergere, Brussels. The brilliant young tenor will be heard by radio listeners in all parts of Canada on Sunday, February 8th, when he will broadcast on the Canadian National chain with the Toronto Symphony Orchestra.

Metcghan Shipbuilding Company Has Good Year

A Nova Scotia industry of no small importance is the Metcghan Shipbuilding Company, at Metcghan, which, during 1930, gave steady employment to 160 men, built 14 new boats and repairs to 93 others.

This shipbuilding plant, of which John D. Deveau is the general manager, has by its aggression and the employment of the most modern methods, advanced from an humble beginning to the front rank of Maritime shipbuilding yards. Mr. Deveau, a native of Metcghan, has been in the shipbuilding game all his life and the success that has attended his enterprise is a monument to his abilities.

At the present time three boats are under construction at the Metcghan yards and work will be started on three others in the near future. Last year was the most successful year in the history of the company. The yearly pay roll amounted to more than \$80,000 and, Mr. Deveau says, prospects for 1931 are even better than they were for the year just closed.

There has been recently installed at the yard a new machine shop equipped with every modern device known to the shipbuilding trade and the Metcghan yards date today as the best equipped yards in the Maritime provinces.

The Metcghan Shipbuilding Company is equipped to handle any type of ship construction, and because it is so equipped is regarded as the outstanding shipbuilding plant in the Maritimes.

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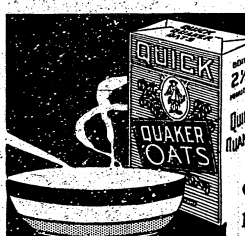
"Thank goodness for Shredded Wheat! The children just wouldn't eat breakfast and I was so tired of coaxing them. It's when they tried the crisp, tasty biscuits, floating in milk and cream, they were delighted. And best of all—Shredded Wheat is ideal for children. It's just the food to build bone and muscle."



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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, JANUARY SESSION, 1931

The Council for the Municipality of the District of Digby met at the Court House, Digby, on Tuesday, January 13th, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon; present, J. V. Andrews, Warden, and Councillors Chisholm, Marshall, Cossaboom, Lent, Fugh, Fitzgerald, Robbins, Woodman, Hillman, Hankinson. The Warden called the meeting to order at 2 p. m., and addressed the council. Following is his address: "It is with much pleasure that I again welcome you to your duties at this annual session of the Municipal Council in the year of our Lord, 1931, and the twenty-first year of our Sovereign, King George the Fifth. It is with a feeling of thankfulness that the past year held for us a measure of prosperity and progress, in spite of the so-called world-wide depression.

The saying of Scripture still holds good. "The poor ye have always with you," but there is another class that we seem to have always with us, namely, the "Knockers," and these are a menace to our country and more harmful than any of the classes with which we have to deal; with the Poor and Insane, etc., we can estimate quite accurately the expenditure necessary for their care from year to year; but of the damage done by the Knockers we can make no estimate. Right here I could name some of the things to which they give their undivided attention; they always have something in view while knocking and that something is personal gain; they knock regardless of the consequences, never thinking that our Province or our County is like one of our big families and when one member or a member is injured that all suffer, even the knockers, for as a general rule they have not the brains to stand up as well as others under a financial strain.

"I am glad to report that our Municipal finances are in a healthy condition and that we are about three thousand dollars ahead of last year, in spite of the fact that the expenditure for outside poor is one thousand dollars more than last year, and

that the bill from the Nova Scotia Hospital is seventy-five dollars more per month than last year. While I have no report of the Children's Aid Society at hand I know that this branch of expenditure is higher. We also now have patients at the Nova Scotia Sanatorium, but these bills do not appear in our 1930 accounts.

"I might say that Criminal prosecutions show a decrease of five hundred dollars for 1930; and that whenever it has been possible to cut down expenditure this has been done.

"I wish to express my appreciation to the Department of Works and Mines for its aid in having our Municipality relieved of \$460.80 in the case of Joseph Hammond, who was an inmate of the Nova Scotia Hospital, and whom they deported, thus relieving the Municipality of his maintenance.

"One thing I regret is that I do not see where we can lower the rate of taxation for next year without having an overdraft the year following. I deeply sympathize with the taxpayer at this time of depression and lack of employment. However there is a ray of hope in the Old Age Pensions, which will relieve the outside poor situation and help with the inside poor to a great extent. My hope is that the government will not delay in granting this great benefit.

"Now that we have a new Hydro plant installed at Weymouth Falls there will be sufficient electrical energy to supply the demands of the County for the coming year. Our Municipal distribution again shows a surplus, and I have asked for its reduction in the rate; this I strongly recommend. This is being considered and I trust I am safe in saying that there will be a considerable cut in the rate to the users, which I know the users will appreciate; they are now entitled to a reduction and it is only fair that they should have one.

Mr. Burnett, agent Children's Aid Society, addressed the Council, telling of the work done dur-

ing the year and of the benefits arising from the granting of Mothers' Pensions, and asking for a continuation of the grant from the Municipality for Children's Aid work. The Warden thanked Mr. Burnett and assured him his request would receive consideration.

The Clerk was instructed to send two copies of the by-law appointing a Hydro Committee to the Governor in Council, for approval.

Moved by Councillor Fitzgerald that the nominating committee appointed for 1930 continue in office for 1931; seconded by Councillor Lent, and passed. This committee was retired and later brought in the report, which was, on motion, accepted, viz., that all committees remain as appointed in 1930.

The report of Dr. F. E. Rice, Medical Health Officer for 1930, was read and on motion received and left on the table.

A letter from Mrs. Edward Ameriault was read, in which she asked that a pair of over shoes be supplied for Mr. James Taylor; on motion this was received and left on the table.

A letter acknowledging the receipt of Resolutions passed at the May session of the Council, by the Department of Highways, was read.

Councillor Marshall gave a verbal report of the meeting held at Digby in December at which the Minister of Highways was present, and at which the request for the widening of Keen's Bridge, and for certain changes at Weymouth and Sissiboo Falls, were again presented.

A letter was read from Mr. H. B. Campbell, of the National Institute for the Blind, asking for a grant of one hundred dollars for aid in their work; this was received and left on the table.

Applications from Dr. A. F. Weir and Dr. W. C. Harris for the office of Medical Health Officer for 1931 were read, and on motion left on the table.

On motion the Council adjourned until 10 a. m., Wednesday.

Wednesday, January 14th

The Council met at 10 a. m.; all attending councillors were present. The Warden in the chair. Minutes of the previous day read and approved.

F. L. Belyea came before the Council and read the report of the auditors for 1931, which was on motion received and left on the table.

Moved by Councillor Marshall, seconded by Councillor Woodman that the bills before the Council for sheep and lambs destroyed by dogs, be dealt with by the Finance Committee.

Moved in amendment by Councillor Fitzgerald, seconded by Councillor Hillman, that the value of each sheep be fixed at \$5.00; value of lambs to be left with the Finance Committee.

Moved as amendment to the amendment, by Councillor Hillman, seconded by Councillor Hillman, that the value for both sheep and lambs be fixed at \$6.00. On being put to vote the motion carried; the Warden giving the casting vote in favour of the motion.

On motion the Council resolved into Assessment Committee, Councillor Chisholm taking the chair. On motion Mr. J. H. Cunningham came before this committee asking for a lowering of his assessment for 1930 on his property in Brighton district.

This committee rose, to report later, and the Council adjourned until 2 p. m.

The Council re-assembled at 2 p. m. All attending councillors present.

On motion Mr. Charles Hayes came before the Council asking for a refund of his 1930 rates. Moved by Councillor Hankinson, seconded by Councillor Fitzgerald, that the Council recommend to the Assessment Committee that this request be granted. Passed.

Moved by Councillor Chisholm that the Committee on Tenders and Public Property be instructed to notify the Principal of the school that the school children are not to be allowed to use the Court House as a loafing place, or to be allowed to smoke in the building; seconded by Councillor Woodman and passed.

Moved by Councillor Hillman: "Whereas there has been a great loss this past year to the sheep industry of the Municipality of Digby on account of the depredation of dogs; and whereas, it is common knowledge that the true dog responsible for such outrages is commonly known as the German or Bel-

gian police dog; it is hereby resolved, that this Council is of the opinion that in the interests of the sheep industry, the police dog should be barred from the Province of Nova Scotia."

Seconded by Councillor Pugh, and passed.

(A copy of this resolution to be sent to the Secretary of the Union of Municipalities of Nova Scotia.)

Moved by Councillor Pugh that this Council go on record as being in favor of instructing all assessors to assess the amount of twenty dollars on all female dogs used for breeding purposes in the Municipality; seconded by Councillor Robbins. On being put to vote the motion was not carried.

On motion Mr. Johnson, of the Nova Scotia Power Commission, came before the Council addressing them on the proposed purchase of the generating plants of the Annapolis Valley Electric Company, the Town of Annapolis Royal, the Town of Middleton and the Digby County Power Board, by the Nova Scotia Power Commission.

"On motion the Council adjourned until 10 a. m., Thursday.

Thursday, January 15th

The Council met at 10 a. m., Thursday, all attending councillors present; the Warden in the chair. Minutes of the previous day were read and approved.

Councillor Hankinson read the report of the Committee on Tenders and Public Property, which was on motion received and left on the table. He also read the report of the Keeper of the Alms House, which was received and placed on file.

The report of Dr. DuVernet, physician to the Alms House for 1930, was read and on motion received and accepted.

Moved by Councillor Marshall that the Warden and Councillor Woodman be appointed a committee to investigate the procedure prior to the sale of land at Jorgin Bridge to the late Daley John, by the Municipality. Seconded by Councillor Lent, and passed.

The Auditors' Report for Municipal Distribution for 1930 was read by Mr. W. Belyea, and on motion was received and placed on file.

Mr. H. J. Campbell read the report of the Municipal Hydro Distribution System for 1930, which was on motion received and left on the table.

Mr. Belyea read the Auditors' Report for the Digby County Power Board, which was received and left on the table.

Mr. D. C. MacKay came before the Council on matters of assessment, giving information re. assessment of Mr. J. H. Cunningham.

On motion Council adjourned until 2 p. m.

The Council re-assembled at 2 p. m., all attending councillors present; the Warden in the chair.

Councillor Hillman read a letter written by Mr. G. W. Wightman, re. the proposed sale of the Digby County Hydro system to the Nova Scotia Power Commission.

Moved by Councillor Hillman: "That in the opinion of this Council it would not be in the best interests of the County of Digby to enter into any negotiations at the present time, with the Nova Scotia Power Commission for the sale or transfer of any generating plant, or any of the rights or privileges in connection with the Digby County Hydro Electric system; the representative of the Municipal Council on the Digby County Power Board to be notified of this decision on the part of the Council."

Seconded by Councillor Fitzgerald, and passed unanimously.

On motion Mr. C. N. Whitman, representing the Land of Evangeline Tourist Association, came before the Council, telling of the proposed plans for a new booklet for advertising, and

asking for a grant of one hundred dollars from the Municipality for this purpose. The Warden thanked Mr. Whitman and told him his request would be given consideration.

Moved by Councillor Marshall, seconded by Councillor Woodman, that Dr. Weir be appointed Medical Health Officer for 1931.

Moved by Councillor Robbins, seconded by Councillor Fitzgerald, that Dr. W. C. Harris be given the appointment.

On being put to vote the first named, Dr. A. E. Weir, received the appointment.

Moved by Councillor Fitzgerald, seconded by Councillor Robbins, that David Hazleton be engaged as janitor for the Court House, for 1931. Passed.

Moved by Councillor Marshall, seconded by Councillor Woodman, that Herbert Bacon be appointed Court Crier for 1931.

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On being put to vote Harry Saunders received the appointment.

On motion David Hazleton was appointed Court Constable for 1931.

The following resolution was moved by Councillor Hankinson, seconded by Councillor Woodman, and passed:

"Whereas, the Commissioners of the Village of Weymouth, under the Village Supply Act, have resolved to borrow, and have been authorized by a meeting of the electors to make all issue Debentures in the sum of Three Thousand (\$3,000.00) dollars to raise funds for the purpose of replacing money supplied and used for the additional construction and equipment of electrical power and street lighting distribution system for the Village of Weymouth, by a further issue of Debentures upon same terms and conditions governing the issue of Eight Thousand (\$8,000.00) Debentures dated the 1st day of July, 1927, and making a total issue to date of Eleven Thousand (\$11,000.00) to cover capital expenditure; Be it therefore resolved that the Municipality of the District of Digby do hereby authorize and guarantee the payment of interest and principal of the Debentures to be issued by the Commissioners of the Village of Weymouth, under the Village Supply Act, to the extent of Three Thousand (\$3,000.00) for the purpose of replacing money supplied and used for the additional construction and equipment of electrical power and street lighting system for the Village of Weymouth, by a further issue of Debentures upon same terms and conditions governing the issue of Eight Thousand (\$8,000.00) Debentures dated the 1st day of July, 1927, and making a total issue to date of Eleven Thousand (\$11,000.00) to cover capital expenditure. Under the provisions of Section 44 of the Village Supply Act."

A request from the Clerk and Treasurer was read, asking for an increase in salary of one hundred dollars per year, and also for an allowance of one hundred and fifty dollars for the work done for the Hydro Distribution.

Moved by Councillor Lent, seconded by Councillor Cossaboom, that these requests be granted.

Moved in amendment by Councillor Chisholm, seconded by Councillor Hankinson, that the one hundred and fifty dollars be paid to the Clerk from the funds of the Municipal Hydro Distribution; on being put to vote the amendment carried.

Moved by Councillor Pugh, seconded by Councillor Robbins, that in the case of the Medical Health Officer being absent from the Municipality he arrange for some one to carry on his work. Passed.

On motion the Council resolved into Assessment Committee, Councillor Chisholm taking the chair. This committee rose to report later.

Councillor Hillman gave notice in writing that he would ask to have the motion re. the granting of one hundred and fifty dollars to the Clerk from Hydro funds reconsidered at the next session of the Council.

The Council adjourned until 10 a. m.

Friday, January 16th

The Council met at 10 a. m., all attending councillors present, the Warden in the Chair. Minutes of the previous day were read and approved.

Moved by Councillor Hillman, seconded by Councillor Pugh, that the motion granting one hundred and fifty dollars from Hydro funds, to the Clerk, be rescinded; on being put to vote the motion lost, the motion of

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the previous day being confirmed. (Names, entered by request, for the motion—Councillors Fitzgerald, Marshall, Hillman, Woodman, Pugh against the motion, Councillors Chisholm, Robbins, Lent, Hankinson, Cossaboom, the Warden giving the casting vote against the motion.)

Councillor Cossaboom addressed the Council re. bills for sheep destroyed by dogs in the District of Sandy Cove.

On motion the Council resolved into Assessment Committee, Councillor Chisholm taking the chair. This committee rose to report later, and the Council adjourned until 2 p. m.

The Council re-assembled at 2 p. m., all attending councillors present, the Warden in the chair. On motion the Finance Committee held a sitting; this committee rose to report later.

On motion Dr. W. R. Dickie and Mr. A. J. Dillon came before the Council on behalf of the Digby General Hospital, telling of the progress of the new hospital building and giving much interesting information, and asking for an annual grant of five hundred dollars from the Municipality. The Warden thanked Dr. Dickie and Mr. Dillon and told them their request would be considered.

Moved by Councillor Hankinson, seconded by Councillor Pugh, that Three Hundred dollars be granted the Digby General Hospital for 1931.

Moved in amendment by Councillor Marshall that Five Hundred dollars be granted the Digby General Hospital. It is the motion carried.

On motion the Finance Committee held a sitting. This committee rose and Councillor Chisholm read their report, which was, on motion, accepted.

On motion the bill of Tuttle Graham was ordered withdrawn from this report for further investigation.

An application from Belyea & MacNeice for the position of auditors for 1931 was read. Moved by Councillor Marshall, seconded by Councillor Hankinson that Belyea & MacNeice be engaged as auditors for 1931 at a fee of ninety dollars for auditing all Municipal work. Passed.

The Council adjourned until 9.30 a. m., Saturday.

Saturday, January 17th

The Council met at 9.30 a. m., Saturday, all attending councillors present, the Warden in the chair. Minutes of the previous day were read and approved.

The Warden gave a report of the committee appointed to investigate the records pertaining to the sale of property to the late Daley John.

Moved by Councillor Marshall that the Warden and the Solicitor for the Municipality further investigate this matter and arrange to give Mrs. John a copy of deed in accordance with the records in the Probate office. Seconded by Councillor Woodman, and passed.

A letter from the Nova Scotia Tuberculosis Commission was read and on motion received and left on the table.

On motion the list of officers

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for all districts are accepted as handed in by each councillor. A letter from the Western Nova Scotia Fish and Game Protective Association, re. bounty on bears, was read and on motion left on the table.

Moved by Councillor Hankinson, seconded by Councillor Lent, and passed, that Councillor Marshall be appointed to arrange for the printing of all reports and proceedings in one issue of the "Courier" and for the printing of two hundred extra copies.

Moved by Councillor Cossaboom, seconded by Councillor Marshall, and passed, that the amount of tax on all female dogs, not spayed, be ten dollars per year.

Moved by Councillor Marshall, seconded by Councillor Pugh, and passed, that the Clerk be instructed to procure necessary tags for all dogs within the Municipality.

Moved by Councillor Hankinson, seconded by Councillor Lent, and passed, that the bill of Mr. L. R. Fair be left with the Committee on Tenders and Public Property, they to make the best arrangements possible.

On motion the Council resolved into Assessment Committee, Councillor Chisholm taking the chair.

Moved by Councillor Pugh, seconded by Councillor Marshall, and passed, that the Warden be authorized to have all properties against which rates are recorded, sold at once.

The Assessment Committee rose and Councillor Woodman read their report, which was, on motion, received and adopted.

Moved by Councillor Marshall that the Warden and Councillor Hillman be appointed an industrial committee, to try and further industry within the Municipality; seconded by Councillor Hankinson, and passed.

Moved by Councillor Hillman, seconded by Councillor Robbins, and passed, that the Councillors, or any person, knowing of any trouble on the Hydro Electric lines, be asked to notify the Digby County Power Board office at once, of the location and cause of such trouble.

Councillor Marshall told the Council that the Digby County Power Board were going to ask for a new schedule, with reduction of Hydro rates, in the coming year.

On motion the Committee on Matters Pertaining to the Poor and Harmless Insane held a sitting. This committee rose and gave their report, which was on motion adopted.

The Finance Committee held a sitting; this committee rose and Councillor Chisholm read their report, which was on motion, received and adopted.

Moved by Councillor Chisholm, seconded by Councillor Pugh, that the motion granting one hundred and fifty dollars from Hydro funds, to the Clerk, be rescinded; on being put to vote the motion lost, the motion of

asking for a grant of one hundred dollars from the Municipality for this purpose. The Warden thanked Mr. Whitman and told him his request would be given consideration.

Moved by Councillor Marshall, seconded by Councillor Woodman, that Dr. Weir be appointed Medical Health Officer for 1931.

Moved by Councillor Robbins, seconded by Councillor Fitzgerald, that Dr. W. C. Harris be given the appointment.

On being put to vote the first named, Dr. A. E. Weir, received the appointment.

Moved by Councillor Fitzgerald, seconded by Councillor Robbins, that David Hazleton be engaged as janitor for the Court House, for 1931. Passed.

Moved by Councillor Marshall, seconded by Councillor Woodman, that Herbert Bacon be appointed Court Crier for 1931.

Moved by Councillor Pugh, seconded by Councillor Robbins, that Harry Saunders be appointed Court Crier.

On being put to vote Harry Saunders received the appointment.

On motion David Hazleton was appointed Court Constable for 1931.

The following resolution was moved by Councillor Hankinson, seconded by Councillor Woodman, and passed:

"Whereas, the Commissioners of the Village of Weymouth, under the Village Supply Act, have resolved to borrow, and have been authorized by a meeting of the electors to make all issue Debentures in the sum of Three Thousand (\$3,000.00) dollars to raise funds for the purpose of replacing money supplied and used for the additional construction and equipment of electrical power and street lighting distribution system for the Village of Weymouth, by a further issue of Debentures upon same terms and conditions governing the issue of Eight Thousand (\$8,000.00) Debentures dated the 1st day of July, 1927, and making a total issue to date of Eleven Thousand (\$11,000.00) to cover capital expenditure; Be it therefore resolved that the Municipality of the District of Digby do hereby authorize and guarantee the payment of interest and principal of the Debentures to be issued by the Commissioners of the Village of Weymouth, under the Village Supply Act, to the extent of Three Thousand (\$3,000.00) for the purpose of replacing money supplied and used for the additional construction and equipment of electrical power and street lighting system for the Village of Weymouth, by a further issue of Debentures upon same terms and conditions governing the issue of Eight Thousand (\$8,000.00) Debentures dated the 1st day of July, 1927, and making a total issue to date of Eleven Thousand (\$11,000.00) to cover capital expenditure. Under the provisions of Section 44 of the Village Supply Act."

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holm, seconded, by Councillor Robbins, and passed, that the rate of municipal taxation for 1931, be 3.20.

Upon the number of days present and miles travelled being read, the following bills were ordered paid:—The Warden, \$113, \$26.30; Councillors Chisholm, \$12, \$26.20; Marshall, \$10, \$25.00; Lussaboom, \$16, \$26.60; Lent, \$10, \$26.20; Pugh, \$12, \$27.20; Fitzgerald, \$12, \$27.20; Robbins, \$12, \$27.20; Woodman, \$12, \$27.20; Hillman, \$12, \$27.20; Hankinson, \$12, \$27.20.

The minutes of this present session were read and approved. The Warden thanked the councillors for their efforts and co-operation in carrying on the business of the session. With the singing of the National Anthem, the council adjourned, sine die.

Report of the Chairman of the Committee on Tenders and Public Property for the Year, 1930.

To the Warden and Councillors of the Municipality of the District of Digby.

Gentlemen:—Your Committee on Tenders and Public Property beg leave to present their annual report for the year 1930.

Court House

We had very little repairs during the year, just some painting done to the walls inside, and a few places filled.

Orders Issued for the Keep of the Poor Outside the Home for District No. 1, Hillsburgh, for the Year 1930

To Whom Payable

Dr. A. B. Campbell

Goods Delivered To

Mrs. A. Early

Amount

\$ 35.00 \$35.00

District No. 2—BRIGHTON

To Whom Payable

Mrs. James Thibodeau

Goods Delivered To

Board of Melvin Amaro

Amount

\$ 25.50 \$100.00

Mrs. Henry Thibodeau

H. H. Marshall

Digby Motors

Henry Langford

H. T. Duverne

Dr. E. W. DeLong

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in where some of the brick had crumbled and fell out.

The orders issued during the year for Court House maintenance, not including the janitor's salary, amounted to \$1,022.60; the janitor's salary being a set amount of \$40.00 per month, was paid by the treasurer, amounting to \$480.00, making a total amount of Court House maintenance for the year 1930, of \$1,502.60. You voted for this department for the year 1931, \$1,502.60. Your committee would also recommend a vote of \$1,502.60 for the year 1931. Your committee would also recommend an estimate for a new set of cement steps in front of the Court House, to be built during the year 1931.

Jail

Your committee issued orders for the keep of prisoners and turnkey, and a few minor repairs during the year to the amount of \$179.78. The jailor's salary, being a set amount of \$50.00 per month, was paid by the treasurer, amounting to \$600.00, making a total amount of \$779.78. You voted for this department for the year 1931, \$1,400.00. Your committee would recommend a vote of \$1,400.00 for the year 1931.

Outside Poor

Your Committee issued orders during the year 1930 to the amount of \$2,790.48. This amount seems to have increased very much over the year 1929. This, no doubt, is due to unemployment during the last year or so.

Your Committee has kept the different districts separate in regard to whom the order was issued to the ones who received the aid and also the amount aid to the people, namely:

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Martin Dugas

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E. B. Balser

Mrs. Ida M. Amoro

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District No. 8—WEYMOUTH NORTH

To Whom Payable

C. C. Nichol

Harley Brooks

Goods Delivered To

Casket Marie Buns

Auto with Chas. Lewis to

Alms House

Amount

4.00 \$ 29.00

District No. 13—TIVERTON

Nil

District No. 15—ROSSWAY

To Whom Payable

C. W. Cornwell

Guy P. Denton

Goods Delivered To

Goods to Ben. White

Goods to Ben. White

Amount

11.00 6.80 \$ 17.80

District No. 16—SMITH'S COVE

To Whom Payable

Mrs. R. B. Cossett

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3 cups Purity Flour 1 cup lard
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Turn out on board very lightly greased with Purity Flour, roll about 1/4-inch thick. Spread between two sheets of shortening over dough, fold over three times and roll again to required thickness. Bake in hot oven (400°).

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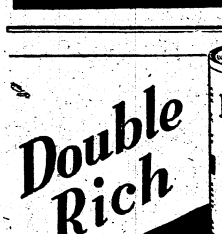


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Local and Personal

Mrs. Adelaide Rice is on the sick list.
Miss Ethel Curtis is learning the telephone work.
Harvey Chisholm returned from Truro on Friday.
Ernest Bailey, of Yaleville, Comp., returned on Tuesday.
Mr. Churchill, of Yarmouth, was in town for the week-end.
Mrs. R. R. Baxter entertained at the tea hour, on Monday.
M. P. Neely, of Middleton, has been in town several days recently.

Mrs. (Rev.) F. W. Swenson is a patient at the Digby Hospital.
Baptist Circle met on Tuesday evening with Mrs. Vernon Peck.
Mrs. George Oickle returned on Tuesday from a pleasant trip to Boston.

Mrs. L. V. Harris was "at home" at the tea hour on Thursday afternoon.
Carl Parker spent Sunday at Annapolis, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Elmer.

St. John's Guild met at the home of Mrs. George Harris on Thursday afternoon.
The men's two-table bridge club met on Tuesday evening at the home of Dr. L. J. Lovett.

Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Campbell entertained at a supper bridge on Wednesday evening.
Mrs. Harry E. Harris entertained at a dinner party on Thursday. Covers were laid for ten.

The ladies' contract bridge club met on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Alfred Porter.
Pulton Parker, A. E. Harris and B. Alcorn attended a fox meeting held at Bridgetown on Tuesday.

Miss Lenna VanBuskirk entertained at a dinner party, at her home, Bear River East, on Thursday night.
The Ladies Aid, of the United Church, was entertained at the home of Mrs. Hubbard on Tuesday afternoon.

Misses Melba Sullivan and Edith Benson spent Tuesday afternoon, returning home, at the midnight train.
Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds Harris, of Weymouth, were over-night guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Anthony, last Friday.

Mrs. W. M. Romans left on Tuesday for Amherst, where she will visit her aunt, Mrs. Agnes Biden for two weeks.
Dr. Parker, and friend, Mr. Kakas of Boston, arrived on Tuesday and spent a short time in the woods, returning on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roberts, of Boston, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Morine, returned to Boston on Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thomas and child, of Boston, arrived on Saturday, and are the guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Thomas.

The Women's Institute are making preparations to hold a pantry sale in the near future, the proceeds to be used towards a school library.
Carl Parker, Lawson Harris, Crena Purdy, Clifford and Allister Harris took in the hockey game, between Berwick and Digby, on Friday night.

SMITH'S COVE
Mrs. M. D. Woodman, of Kentville, arrived Wednesday to attend the funeral of her father, the late Herbert H. Woodman. She returned to Kentville on Friday.

Miss Grace Brooks was a week end guest of Miss Katherine Weir.
Robert Brooks returned to Weymouth on Sunday night, after spending some time with his grandparents, Capt. and Mrs. Robert Austin.

The hospital committee held a public meeting in the Temperance Hall last Tuesday evening, to determine if Smith's Cove would furnish a room in the new Digby Hospital. Such a few attended the meeting the question could not be settled.

A number of relatives and friends from here attended the funeral of Capt. Frank Spurr, at Deep Brook on Tuesday afternoon. The interment took place in the Sully cemetery, in this village.
Mrs. Frank Cossitt entertained a number at a "sing" at her home on Tuesday evening.

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PUBLIC INTEREST FIRST

On January 17th, the Halifax Herald published a very strong article, under the above heading, on the lack of protection afforded communities and the general public, by the Board of Public Utilities, and that it seemed absolutely necessary for municipalities to go to all sorts of trouble and expense in order to establish their just rights. This has been followed by a letter in the Halifax Chronicle of January 30th, giving a short summary of the treatment received by Bear River at the hands of the Board, and how the Board's first decision of last May, was passed on an untrue statement made to them—the falsity of which should have been at once detected—and from which the Board deduced that 28 street lamps on the Digby side should also light the Annapolis side. This the Board was told plainly was an absurdity. Again, in their January decision the Board made a rate of \$18 for 40-watt street lights, although the Company's own figures showed the cost to be only \$17. A very full statement of the facts has been submitted to the Lieutenant-Governor, and also to Premier Harrington. It also points out the preposterous claim of the Company for depreciation of 10 per cent. per annum, which would, in ten years, without reckoning interest, wipe out the original cost of brackets, wires, poles, etc. The company would also be getting 8 per cent. per annum on the original cost.

OAKDEN SCHOOL ORCHESTRA

The boys and girls are taking a great interest in an orchestra for Oakden school, which is being organized by the pupils of the upper grades, with the help of Mrs. H. C. Anthony.
At present there are about sixteen musical instruments, from mouth harps to violins. It is hoped this orchestra will have the support of the parents, and town of Bear River in general, as sympathy goes such a long way in helping boys and girls to do their best. There is a great deal of musical talent in our school which needs to be developed. If any person has a musical instrument of any sort, suitable for an orchestra, and not being used at home, the school would greatly appreciate the use of it. Please take a look in your attic.

B. Y. P. U. SLEIGH DRIVE

On Friday evening last the Senior B. Y. P. U. of the Bear River United Baptist church, joyfully, sleigh drive to Morganville. Arriving at the Baptist church, where a number of the people of the community awaited them, the young people put on their usual weekly programme. The topic for the evening, "Citizenship," was discussed by three members of the group in charge, followed by a short talk by Rev. A. MacLeod. Special numbers included a violin solo and a vocal duet.
At the close of the evening's programme the ladies of the Morganville United Baptist church served to the visiting group, a delightful lunch.

C. G. I. T.

The "Busy Beavers" group of C. G. I. T., of the United Church of Canada, held their annual business meeting at the home of their leader, Mrs. H. C. Anthony, on Friday evening.
The officers for 1931 are as follows:—
President—Alice Morine
Vice-President—Annie Chute
Secretary—Garnet VanBuskirk
Treasurer—Paula Elie
The girls are practicing a play which they intend to give sometime in March. They will also hold a Valentine Tea and Pantry Sale in the Masonic Kitchen on Saturday, Feb. 14.

Masonic Bridge Party

On Friday evening the members of The Keith Lodge, No. 16, A. F. and A. M., gave a very enjoyable bridge and forty-fives social in their attractive lodge room. The evening being a particularly cold one, kept a number from attending, eight tables being in play, however. Delicious refreshments were served by the Masons, and the prizes for the evening were given to Mrs. Reynolds Harris, of Weymouth; Alfred Porter and Horace Moore.

WEDDINGS

Brown-Nickerson
A wedding of unusual interest to Bear River friends was solemnized in the Baptist church, at Watertown, Mass., on Friday, Jan. 23rd, when Miss Dorothy Louise Nickerson, eldest daughter of Mrs. William Coumans, was united in marriage to Frederick Elliott Brown, of Watertown, Mass. Mrs. Brown spent her school days in Bear River, and has since spent many vacations here. Mr. and Mrs. Brown will reside in Newton, Mass.

Miss Lenna VanBuskirk spent the week-end at her home, Bear River East.



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Allow tea to steep at least five minutes before pouring, but never put teapot where the tea could boil.
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JOGGING BRIDGE

Master Louis Wilson, who has been confined to his home through illness recently, is out again.
A number from here attended Royal Division, at Bear River, on Monday evening of last week.
William Roop, who has been spending the past week with Dwight Morgan, at Lansdowne, has returned home.
Glenn Hutchinson spent the week end with friends at Digby.
Mr. Arthur Marshall is confined to her home by illness.

DEEP BROOK

Miss Harriet Spurr, of Annapolis Royal, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Spurr.
Many are confined to their homes through severe colds.
Mrs. Isaac Jones is in failing health.
Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sully entertained very pleasantly a large party of young people at their home, on Monday evening. The evening was spent in games and music, after which dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

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One good Hay Cutter
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SCOUT NOTES

During the past week a book-case has been installed in the Camp Fire room and a number of volumes already placed in the library. These have been numbered and are ready to be passed out. A quarter of an hour will be allowed each evening for exchanging books at the close of the regular meeting and before the Court of Honor.

The corners of the three patrols have been completed and are now awaiting interior decorating.
The first member of the Bear River troop to qualify as First Class Scout is Patrol leader Allan Harris, of the Peewees. Allan has been with the troop since its reorganization three years ago, and has been one of the most enthusiastic and diligent members during this period.

Owing to sleigh drives by other organizations, the Committee did not report favorably on one for the present but it was decided to invite the Digby troop to visit us on February 19th, for a social evening.

INSTITUTE MEETING

The monthly meeting of the Bear River Women's Institute was held on Monday afternoon in the Masonic Reading Room, with the President, Mrs. Morine, in the chair. Fifteen members and one visitor were in attendance.

Regular business was transacted, after which various committees were appointed to carry out several enterprises, one of which was a pantry sale to be held February 21st, in aid of the Oakden School Library. Another interesting feature will be a rug-hooking demonstration to which the ladies of the out-lying districts will be invited. The date of this affair will be announced later. Resolutions were passed when complete arrangements have been made but much interest has been shown along this line.

FORT WADE

Miss Mildred White left for Yarmouth on Saturday last.
Miss Willis Perkins visited her parents in Clementsvalle over the week end.
Walter Barnes spent Sunday at the home of A. B. Kendall, returning to Digby on Monday.

Mrs. James Snow entertained the Women's Missionary Society on Wednesday afternoon.
A few of the citizens of this place attended a twenty-fifth anniversary party in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haynes, at Victoria Beach, on Saturday evening.

Mrs. Lotie Tinkham, of Kempsville, Yarmouth County, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Arch. Kendall.
A church supper was held at the home of Mrs. Herbert Johnson on Thursday evening. Entertainment was provided and a good time reported.

Deep Brook Sunday School Holds Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Deep Brook United Baptist Sunday school took place on Sunday, January 25th. The average attendance has been good during the year. The treasurer reported the best financially in five years. Officers elected are as follows:
Superintendent—W. N. Henshaw, Assistant-Superintendent—Mrs. Myrtle Jackson.
Secretary—Miss Nellie Nicholls.
Treasurer—Mrs. E. E. Sharnau.
Organist—Miss Bernice Purdy.
Musical Director—Mrs. U. W. Habel.

LOWER GRANVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Gilliat, of Granville Ferry, and Miss Cora, a returned missionary from India, were guests of Miss Primrose Elliott on Thursday last.
Mrs. Walter Hudson returned from Saugus, Mass., on Friday last, after a pleasant visit with her niece, Mrs. Frank Wallace.

The Granville Fireside Industry met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Shaffner on Saturday last.
Mrs. George Hines was a week end guest of Mrs. James Rhodes, of Granville Ferry.

MORGANVILLE

Mrs. Elder Milner spent the day recently the guest of Mrs. Harriet Robbins and her mother, Bear River.
Mrs. C. A. Morgan was in the village Friday afternoon and evening making friendly calls.
Last Friday evening a number of the members of the B. Y. P. U. of the United Baptist church, of Bear River, drove and motored to the Morganville church, where they presented a fine programme, after which refreshments were served by the Morganville ladies.
There will be preaching service in the Morganville church on Sunday.



Was In Bed All Summer

"I have to work in the store and do my own housework, too, and I got nervous and run-down and was bed-ridden all summer. The last note would make me nervous. I was told to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I have taken seven bottles. It has made me stronger and put more color into my face. I am looking after my store and housework and my four children and I am getting along nicely now."
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Anniversary Celebrated at Victoria Beach

On Saturday evening last about fifty-five guests assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Haynes, at Victoria Beach. The occasion was to do honor to this popular couple, who had just completed twenty-five years of wedded life together. Without giving an inkling of what was in preparation the crowd flocked in on them, giving them both a complete surprise.
After things had settled down to normal, Deacon Henry Casey, in a few fitting words, made the presentation speech, disclosing to their view several fine pieces of silverware. This was followed by two short ballads, composed especially for this event. A jolly evening followed, interspersed with vocal and instrumental music. An elaborate luncheon was served by the young ladies present. Before midnight all had departed, wishing Mr. and Mrs. Haynes many happy returns of the day.

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Father John's Medicine has been proved for over 75 years by the United Baptist church, of Bear River, regularly by over 124 institutions and hospitals. It is a simple food medicine that supplies the vitamins that every child needs. Children thrive on it amazingly. Their appetite improves, their very food seems to do them more good. Pale cheeks gladden with health. Little bodies become strong and vigorous.
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To the Editor of the Courier:
Sir—I am writing to ask you to get in touch with the rector of Trinity Church, through our valuable home paper. Tell him there are still "shut-ins" from Digby to Westport—more than ever this winter—who appreciated his little sermonettes to the sick and those who were not able to get to their own church, (or did not own a radio). To many the weekly talk was a personal message, and they looked forward eagerly to this little service. Hoping this short instruction will resume at once, I am,

A Shut-In of a Year Ago

CHILDREN'S COLDS



CLASSIFIED ADS

CARD OF THANKS—Augustus Turnbull and family wish to express their sincere thanks for the kindnesses shown them before and since their recent bereavement, and especially for the beautiful floral offerings and the special music at the funeral service.

CARD OF THANKS—I beg to thank the many who supported me in the election last Tuesday. I appreciate very much the confidence shown in me, and while a member of the council I will do all in my power to further your best interests.
H. W. BOWLES

CARD OF THANKS—The family of the late Herbert H. Woodman desire to express their heartfelt gratitude for the many kindly expressions of sympathy shown them in their recent bereavement.

IN MEMORIAM—In loving memory of our dear mother, Mrs. Mary Handspiker, who passed away February 4th, 1928—Gone, but not forgotten by her children. Three years have passed and none can tell The loss of one we loved so well; Tree call was short, the shock severe, To part with one we loved so dear; But God alone knew what was best, And took her home with Him to rest. Inserted by her loving daughter, 27 1/2 Mrs. Digby Baxter

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REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

We, your Committee on Finance and Public Accounts, hereby recommend that the following accounts be paid to the several persons mentioned below, and that the same, with any estimates mentioned, be assessed upon the Municipality:

H. R. Kinney, assessor Hillsburgh, No. 1	30.00
D. C. MacKay, assessor Brighton, No. 2	42.50
Ermond Tibert, assessor Sandy Cove, No. 4	35.00
Ernest J. J. J., assessor Freeport, No. 5	24.00
Albert Dakin, assessor Westport, No. 6	20.00
J. W. Bragg, assessor Plympton, No. 7	42.50
W. H. Brooks, assessor Weymouth North, No. 8	24.50
Wm. Cossaboom, assessor Tiverton, No. 13	15.00
Guy Denton, assessor Roseway, No. 15	24.00
E. R. Thomas, assessor Smith's Cove, No. 16	21.00
Curtis Young, assessor Culloden, No. 17	30.00
J. M. Sabine, assessor Weymouth, No. 22	50.00
J. M. Sabine, attending Assessment Committee	4.00
J. W. Bragg, attending Assessment Committee	4.00
D. C. MacKay, attending Assessment Committee	4.00
H. C. Anthony, attending Assessment Revision	6.20
G. O. Hankinson, attending Assessment Revision	7.20
Union Nova Scotia Municipalities	10.00
Mrs. A. A. Scott, Registrar deeds office	13.17
A. A. Theriault, sec. Registrar Deeds office	37.96
F. W. Nichols, retaining fee	25.00
E. F. Hankinson, Committee Fee	49.80
Warden's Salary	50.00
Court House Maintenance	1,500.00
Jail's Salary and Jail Maintenance	1,400.00
Outside Poor	2,500.00
Inside Poor	4,500.00
Medical Health Officer	100.00
Victoria Bridge Keeper	150.00
Bear River Bridge Keeper	10.00

Tiverton Bridge Keeper	10.00
Municipal Clerk's Salary	900.00
Stationery and Stamps	150.00
Printing	175.00
Nova Scotia Hospital	6,000.00
Contingent Account	500.00
Municipal Council and Committees	1,000.00
Jury Fund and Criminal Prosecutions	1,000.00
Court Crier	25.00
Court House Debentures and Interest	1,850.00
Alms House Debentures and Interest	1,125.00
Education Fund	11,000.00
Court Constable	15.00
Auditors	50.00
Public Charities	2,300.00
Children's Aid Society	300.00
Commission on Rates	2,300.00
Interest	400.00
Vital Statistics	100.00
Digby Co. Farmers' Ass'n.	25.00
Public Health	300.00
Hospital Patients' Account	500.00
Digby General Hospital	300.00
Grant	300.00
Accounts for Sheep and Lambs Killed by Dogs	
Norval Morehouse, 5 sheep, 1 lamb	\$ 30.00
Conrad Gidney, 8 sheep	40.00
Henry Cossaboom, 2 sheep, 7 lambs	45.00
Kenneth Dakin, 3 sheep, 2 lambs	25.00
Percy Prime, 18 sheep, 9 lambs	135.00
Noah Baker, 1 sheep	5.00
Wm. Hutchins, 2 sheep, 2 lambs	20.00
Casswell Denton, 8 sheep, 2 lambs	50.00
John Henderson, 6 sheep	30.00
Wm. Porter, 5 sheep	25.00
Stiles O'Neill, 7 sheep	35.00
Thomas Rowlett, 3 sheep	15.00
Freeman Handspiker, 10 sheep	50.00
Crawford Vassell, 5 sheep	25.00
Edgar Post, 3 sheep	15.00
George Hutchins, 2 sheep	10.00
Walter VanTassel, sheep valuer	21.50
A. L. Sabin, sheep valuer	9.30
Oswald Mullen, sheep valuer	1.50
Signed	
H. H. MARSHALL, Chairman	
H. E. CHISHOLM, Secretary	

REPORT ASSESSMENT COMMITTEE

We, your Committee on Assessment, hereby recommend that the following amounts be cancelled or recorded from the various rolls mentioned below and that the collectors be relieved of these amounts:

District	Year	Cancelled	Recorded
Hillsburgh, No. 1	1927	\$55.12	\$138.76
	1928	17.40	
	1929	11.12	
	1930	18.65	
	1931	62.66	39.78
Freeport, No. 5	1927	8.07	
	1928	19.42	
	1929	14.50	55.00
	1930	32.48	37.62
	1931	24.35	
Smith's Cove, No. 16	1930	49.96	82.50
Culloden, No. 17	1930	44.00	11.00
	1929	5.20	
Weymouth, No. 22	1930	2.00	72.60
	1925	10.48	16.41
	1926	17.00	
	1927	65.10	28.90
	1928	44.96	
	1929	10.20	18.18
	1930	20.50	177.75
	1931	8.75	
Weymouth North, No. 8	1923	65.01	
	1924	19.13	
	1928	22.96	
	1930	33.14	70.28
	1931	81.94	6.60
	1930		13.50
Westport, No. 6	1930		
Rosway, No. 15	1930		
Tiverton, No. 13	1930		

REFUNDS—Weymouth, No. 22: To N. L. Ruggles, Municipal, 1930 \$ 8.80 To N. L. Ruggles, Village Supply, 1930 3.50 To Charles Hayes, Municipal, 1930 12.70 To Leslie Falls, Municipal, 1930 1.10 To R. S. Hallett, Village Supply, 1930 12.25 To H. E. Wagner, Village Supply, 1930 22.63 To G. O. Hankinson, Village Supply, 1930 15.75

Brighton, No. 2: To J. H. Cunningham, Municipal, 1930 15.40 Plympton, No. 7: To Albert C. Amers, Dog Tax, 1929 1.00

Signed
H. E. CHISHOLM, Chairman
W. C. WOODMAN, Secretary

Personnel of Digby's New Council

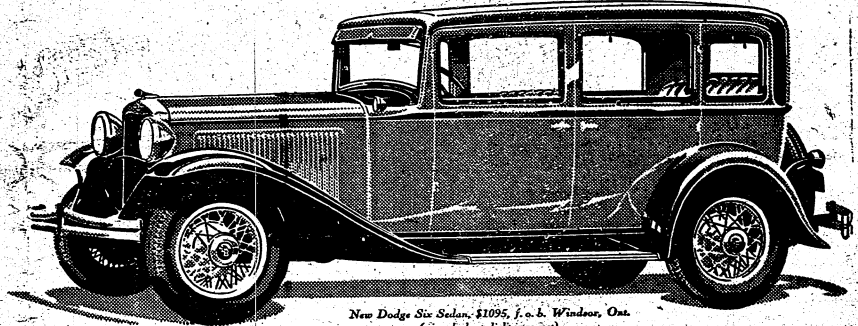
Tuesday's civic election in Digby resulted as follows: — Harris W. Bowles, 256; Forrest Eisener, 205; William Oliver, 177; and W. L. Holdsworth, 114. The first three are declared elected, and will replace the retiring councillors—C. J. Eldridge, A. J. Dillon and M. C. Denton. The council for the ensuing year will comprise the above named councillors elect, and Frank Jones, K. C. E. J. Theriault and H. F. Williams.

TIVERTON

Mr. and Mrs. Merrill P. Outhouse spent the week end with their daughter, Mrs. Arthur Harris, and Mr. Harris, at East Ferry. Ralph Young has returned home from Saint John, and is spending a few weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Young. A large number from Freeport attended the movies here on Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Elliott, returned home from Beaver Harbor on Thursday of last week, and will spend a few months here. Mrs. Elsie Outhouse will return to Boston this week. Miss Evelyn Finigan, of Freeport, was the week end guest of her sister, Mrs. Murray Small. Miss Filda Ruggles returned to Saint John on Monday, to resume her training as nurse in the hospital there.

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The cost is \$1.00 for registration and \$2.75 for the required text book. Those interested should make application to enter the course as promptly as possible, also remit charges of \$3.75 to the Farm Study Division, College of Agriculture, Truro. Make money orders payable to the Nova Scotia College of Agriculture.

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VICTORIA BEACH

Misses Emma Casey and Ola Everett spent a few days last week guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. Lloyd Jefferson, Mr. Pleasant.
A number from here attended the chicken supper at Karsale on Wednesday evening last.
A tea was held at Mrs. Andrew Ellis' on Thursday night; the proceeds for church purposes.
Mrs. Chas. Boudreau, sr., is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. George Gates, Granville Ferry.
Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ellis on the arrival of a daughter.

AN APPRECIATION

I TAKE this opportunity to express my heartfelt thanks to all who assisted by their votes and by their influence in securing my election. It is a high honor to represent the people in any public office, an honor of which I am deeply conscious.
The best days of Digby are ahead and there is no reason why our beautiful town should lag behind.
Once more permit me to thank you all and to assure you that I shall always endeavor to measure up to my responsibilities.
Faithfully, yours,
F. R. EISENER

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Clarence Henshaw Dies After Fall From Roof

What, we understand was the first fatal accident in the history of H. T. Warner's mill, took place on Monday afternoon, when Clarence Henshaw, of Bear River, fell from the roof of the ice house and sustained such severe injuries that he died in the Digby Hospital about an hour afterwards, without having recovered consciousness.

The deceased was 33 years of age, was born and has always lived in Bear River, with the exception of three years spent in France, with the 219th Battalion.

He was a son of the late William Henshaw and Mrs. Henshaw (who is still living). He leaves to mourn his widow, (nee Elsie Parker), and two children, Lawrence, aged 9, and Margaret, aged 8; his mother, who resides with them; one brother, Le Roy, of Bear River; and two half sisters, Mrs. Burton Morine, and Mrs. J. Curtis, both of Bear River. Mr. Henshaw was a carpenter by trade. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon, from his late home in Bear River.

DEEP BROOK

S. A. Spurr spent the week end of her son, W. A. Spurr, and Mrs. Spurr, at Kentville.

The W. M. A. Society met on Wednesday last with Mrs. L. E. Sherman. The president, Mrs. H. W. Habel, led the devotional period, after which the programme committee, Mrs. Myrtle Jackson and Mrs. Bessie McBride, took charge of the meeting. The readings prepared were very interesting. Mrs. McBride gave a carefully prepared paper on "Conditions in India—Political and Religious".

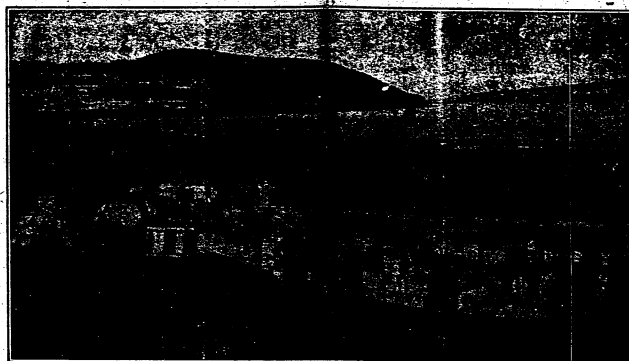
Estimable Lady of Deep Brook Passes

On Wednesday afternoon of last week, Caroline (Chute) Jones, widow of the late Isaac Jones, passed peacefully to her reward, at the advanced age of 92 years and 6 months. In the passing of this dear servant of God, Deep Brook loses one of its highly esteemed residents, a devoted wife and mother, a Christian sincere, a friend tried and approved. She was the last member of the immediate family of the late Abel and Sophia (Potter) Chute, of Bear River East. Her early married life was spent in Bear River, where she united with the Bear River Baptist church. She belonged to a large and influential family in Baptist history. The late deacon Harding Chute, of Bear River, was her brother; Mrs. W. W. Clarke, of Bear River, is a niece. Her husband predeceased her by nine years. The funeral services were held on Friday from the Deep Brook Baptist church, the pastor, Rev. H. W. Habel, officiating. She leaves four sons, Chas. F. Jones, Newton Highlands, Mass.; Asa W. Jones, of Boston; Fred H. Jones, of West Mansfield, Mass.; and one daughter, Mrs. Charles E. Lent, of Deep Brook, with whom she made her home.—Conn.

Fritz W. Woodworth Dead in Saint John

Fritz W. Woodworth, formerly of Mt. Pleasant, but for some years past a resident of Saint John, died in the General Public Hospital Annex, Lancaster, Saint John, last Friday, after a brief illness of pneumonia. He was in his 24th year, and leaves to mourn his wife, three small children, his father, one sister, a half-sister and two half-brothers. The funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon, with interment in Cedar Hill cemetery, Saint John. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. H. A. Goodwin, assisted by Rev. A. D. MacLeod.

A Busy Scene at Digby's New Pier



A faster through freight schedule on package freight, to and from Montreal and Toronto and other Central Canadian points is announced by the traffic department of the Dominion Atlantic Railway Company. The new and faster service, the company states, is due to the rebuilding and strengthening of their roadbed which has been carried out during the past several years, enabling them to operate faster trains; a daily fast freight service, operated over the entire system; new steamship connections at Digby, faster and with greater capacity; and modern loading facilities.

The completion of the new pier at Digby for the Canadian Pacific S. S. "Princess Helene" has been an important factor in enabling the D. A. R.-C. P. R. service to reduce freight schedules by forty-eight hours between Nova Scotia points and points Montreal and west. The new schedule provides for a three day package freight delivery to Montreal, with a four day schedule to Toronto, from points on the Dominion Atlantic lines, with an equally fast schedule on incoming of eastern bound freight. This improved service will be appreciated by Nova Scotia shippers and will be substantially effective in drawing Canada's Maritime and Central markets nearer together.

The new Digby pier, with its modern loading facilities is an interesting center of activity. The big S. S. "Princess Helene" makes a return voyage each day from Saint John to Digby. Besides being one of the most luxurious passenger steamers on the Atlantic seaboard, the "Princess Helene" has a large cargo capacity. New methods and electric elevators at the Digby pier have made it possible to handle, easily, all through freight in the limited

time available, establishing a fast dependable service over this route. The new methods eliminate two handlings of freight. Freight is loaded on one ton ball-bearing "dolly" trucks in the cars, and wheeled out onto the platform of the electric elevator. The elevator is lowered to the level of the cargo deck when the truck is wheeled off and placed in the roomy freight space "twice decks". At the Saint John terminal, the procedure is simply reversed, thereby eliminating two handlings, annoying delays and risk of breakage.

The Dominion Atlantic Railway is to be congratulated upon this further improving the service over the Valley route, which is becoming increasingly popular for through shipments. The increased activity cannot fail but react upon the general prosperity and progress of the Valley.

Rev. A. E. Gabriel Resumes His Sermonettes

To the Editor of the Courier: Sir:—Replying to a paragraph in the last issue of the Courier, asking for more "Letters to Shut-In", permit me to give my reasons for discontinuing them:

- 1.—Space could not always be guaranteed by the editor.
 - 2.—The other clergy in the town were invited through your columns to join forces, taking their turn at writing these little sermonettes, but there was no response; perhaps the invitation was not made clear.
- If it is not possible to reserve a space every week for a sermonette, please inform your subscribers that the texts will be general, not referring to any particular Sunday and that you will print them if space allows.

(Rev.) A. E. Gabriel

To the Sick and Shut-In.

"O come let us sing unto the Lord."—Psalm 95:1

Every morning our church makes this call to us. There is nothing more important than that we live in our hearts and on our lips to the Lord. It will certainly make anything that we do all the better in the doing and whatever our circumstances it is our duty to sing. Robert Louis Stevenson was a confirmed invalid but he says: "If I have faltered more or less in my real task of happiness, if I have moved among my race and showed no glorious morning face, then he asks the celestial surgeon to stab his spirit wide awake. And as I think of those who are sick and shut-in, I would like each one of them to make that prayer, or to heed the Psalmist's call, 'O come let us sing unto the Lord'."

We can sing our cares away easier than we can reason them away. The birds are the earliest to sing in the morning and the birds are more without care than anything else we know. They sing in the evening—singing is the last thing the robins do. What they have done their daily work when they have flown their last light and picked up their last morsel of food, then on a top twig they sing one song of praise. I know they sleep better for it.

"O that we might sing every evening and every morning and let our song touch all the way through," says Henry Ward Beecher. If only we could put a song under our burden; if only we could extract the sense of sorrow by song—then sad things would not poison us so much. When troubles come, go at them with a song. When griefs arise sing them down. Lift the voice of praise against care. Praise God by singing; that will lift you above trials of every sort. Try it. They sing in heaven and among God's people on earth song is the appropriate language of Christian fellowship.

A. E. Gabriel

Town's New Council Sworn Into Office

The new council for the town of Digby was sworn into office on Tuesday afternoon. Its personnel is as follows: Mayor, T. E. G. Lynch; Councilors Frank Jones, E. J. Theriault, Harry P. Williams, Harris W. Bowles, Forrest R. Elsener, William Oliver.

Presiding Councilor—Frank Jones
School Commissioners—Councilors Williams, Elsener and A. J. Dillon, Esq.

Standing Committees
Finance and Tenders—Councilors Jones, Theriault and Oliver.
Public Property and Streets—Councilors Theriault, Bowles and Elsener.

Poor and Temperance—Councilors Bowles, Elsener and Jones.

Fire, Water and Sewers—Councilors Williams, Oliver and Bowles.

Police—Councilors Jones, Bowles and Williams.

License—Councilors Theriault, Elsener and Bowles.

Reviewers of Jury Lists—Councilors Oliver, Elsener and Bowles.

Assessment and Appeals—Councilors Jones, Williams and Elsener.

Electric Light—Councilors Jones, Theriault and Williams.

Arbitration—The Mayor and Councilors Theriault and Oliver.

Representative on Hospital Board—Councilor Theriault.

The Mayor is ex-officio member of all Standing Committees.

OBITUARY

Emory Clayton Hatfield

Emory Clayton Hatfield, beloved husband of Marie (Gillis) Hatfield, passed away of pneumonia on Tuesday of last week at his home in Needham, Mass. He contracted a severe cold about two weeks previous which developed into influenza-pneumonia, and despite skilled care he passed away. He was born at Kemptville, in Yarmouth Co., and was the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Enos Hatfield. Some years of his life were spent in Inverness Co., from which place he moved to Needham, Mass., in 1923, and has since carried on a contracting and building business. Besides his sorrowing wife he leaves three small children, his parents, and three brothers and five sisters, namely: Alvin C. of Dedham, Mass.; E. Lloyd, of Kemptville; Ralph N., of Lundemo, Alta.; Mrs. Eustace Niverson; Mrs. Clyde Cann, and Mrs. (Rev.) F. C. Burnette, of Hebron; Mrs. Ralph C. Nichols and Mrs. Harry Gates, of Needham.

Young Folks Went on Sleigh Drive

About twenty of the young people of the town hired one of Joe Jefferson's teams and went on a sleigh drive to the Bay View Life Saving Station, on Thursday evening last. An enjoyable time was spent in dancing—and eating that delicious clam chowder made by Ken. Beekwith. The party broke up shortly after midnight and returned home during the "wee sma' hours".

Be Generous—Give the Hockey Boys a Lift

In response to the recent request in the Bijou Dream advertisement, the Courier is pleased to acknowledge the following donations:

C. E. Walker \$5.00
Geo. C. Cardoza 2.00

J. A. Mulse, of Weymouth, was in town last week.

Bear River Progressive Class Holds Meeting

The Progressive Bible Class, of the United Baptist church of Bear River, met on Monday evening, at the Grand Central Hotel, under the direction of President Chas. G. Green. After the regular business was transacted a very enjoyable programme was presented by the entertainment committee as follows:

Chorus by the Class.
Instrumental Duets—Miss M. Baird, violin; Mrs. Carol Clarke, piano.
Article by C. E. Clarke—Subject: "Telephony Explained to the User."
Article by Stanley Sullivan—Subject: "Influence."
Violin Selection—Miss Baird, accompanied by Mrs. C. E. Clarke.
Address by Rev. A. A. MacLeod—Subject, "The Measure of Life."
Vocal Solo—Mrs. Waldo Chute, accompanied by Mrs. C. E. Clarke.
At the close of the meeting a bounteous lunch was served by the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Chute.

Young People's Class Holds Business Meeting

A business meeting of the "Seagulls" Young People's Class of the United Church, was held recently, at which the following officers were elected:

President—Clayton Snow
Vice-President—Allan Wright
Secretary—Mildred Syda
Treasurer—Reginald Turnbull

A social evening was held at the Parsonage, which was much enjoyed. It has been decided to hold these meetings regularly on the last Thursday in each month, the date of the next being February 26th. The class meets on Sundays at 12 o'clock, and is open to all young people, sixteen years and over.

Prizes To Be Selected at Connell's

The book title in Connell's window was "If Winter Comes". Too easy—but if those who handed in slips with this title will come in before the window is changed they may select their prize.

And now we offer another opportunity. By placing cards showing the title of this book, another book's name presents itself. Name it and select your prize from the window.

Mrs. A. Ross Was Hostess at Forty-Fives Party

Thirteen tables of forty-fives were played at Mrs. A. Ross' on Monday evening. The winners were: Ladies, Mrs. W. Hersey; Men's, J. Moulaison; consolation, Mrs. P. Keen. Proceeds in aid of St. Patrick's church.

No Depression in Canada

In spite of the so-called depression, Canadian dividends paid on all types of securities during 1930 were in excess of 1929 by more than sixteen per cent. The 1930 total was \$258,417,197.

Church Point Won Over the High School

The Church Point Pirates defeated the High School team 3-0, in the final game, on Wednesday evening. The boys showed good form, however, and played a good game. It is from this team that Digby's future hockeyists will come and every effort should be made to encourage them.

A Travel Talk for Next Thursday Evening.

A travel talk on "The Wonders and Beauties of Switzerland", with slides, will be given by Rev. E. W. Forbes, in the United Church hall, on Thursday evening next, at 8 o'clock. There will also be a short musical programme. Admission 25 cents. Come and spend an enjoyable evening.

SALVATION ARMY

There will be special meetings in the Salvation Army Citadel all next week. On Monday and Tuesday, February 16th and 17th, Captain and Mrs. Cobham, of Yarmouth, will be in charge. Wednesday, February 18th, Ensign Cuveller and Lieutenant Mosher, of Bridgetown, will conduct the services. Thursday, February 19th, the meeting will be in charge of Ensign Bowles. The services on February 21st, 22nd and 23rd, will be conducted by Brigadier Tilley, of Halifax.

Mrs. J. A. Faust Will be Hostess Next Week.

The Hospital sewing circle met on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. A. Shortliffe. Mrs. J. A. Faust will be the hostess on Wednesday of next week, and all are cordially invited to attend.

Former Sandy Cove Man Died in Marblehead

Frank Burns, a former resident of Sandy Cove, but for many years of Marblehead, Mass., died there last week, after a long illness. He was a little over 70 years old, and leaves a widow, who was Miss Emma MacKay, of Roseray, a sister of Mrs. B. Moore and Miss Annie MacKay, of this town; also two daughters and one son.



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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 1931
WILL THE BROWN RACE RULE
THE WORLD

Manuel Roxas, speaker of the
House of Representatives, in the Phil-
ippine Islands, recently threw a huge
crowd into a ferment when he pre-
dicted that in time the brown race
would be ruling the world. He had
harsh things to say regarding the
condition of the American depen-
dency.

Philippines are now writhing
in the throes of a hell, a hell of sla-
very and foreign domination," he de-
clared. "Our country, the greatest
mother of us all, because she made
us what we are and gave us what we
have, is weeping, pleading, crying for
her children to come to her aid and
save her from eternal damna-
tion."

"All things have their rise and fall
The black man had his day of su-
preme power and glory. Black gen-
erals from Egypt, Carthage and
Babylon once swept the world and
Europe and conquered the white
peoples inhabiting the continent.

"The white man succeeded the
black and today he still rules su-
preme, he still dominates and tyrann-
izes, he still looks down on all other
races as inferior. But the day will
come when the whites will also bite
the dust and taste the bitter fruit
of tyranny. They will come the
brown man's turn. He will hold the
world in his hands and rule supreme
over all other races."

PRECEPT AND EXAMPLE

The difference between precept
and example is well illustrated by
"Timothy Standby" in the "Trento"
News. He says: "We are thank-
ful to learn that the Premier of the
province advises people to stay away
from the Government stores. But if
R. B. McLennan issues a state-
ment, 'I never use Brookfield ice
cream and I advise everybody else to
do the same,' I would wonder why in
the world he made the stuff and
sold it. If Mr. Lewis published a
statement to the effect that he would
not be caught in an Eastern shirt,
and that he sold them to prevent
people from wearing them, I would
be kind of puzzled. As a matter of
fact Premier Harrington is a pretty
man, but when he took office he
found an ugly and bad child had
been left on his hands, and he has
an impossible task in trying to make
it look pretty and behave well."

THE BRITISH EMPIRE

The British Empire may seem to
be a thing for our solitude, says
the London Morning Post, since it
embraces one quarter of mankind.
Yet bulk may not mean either
strength or permanence, and if we
look before and after we can hardly
fail to see certain grounds for an-
xiety. The Great War brought all
together in one spontaneous effort;
but ever since we have had to note
the working of a reaction, as if the
Empire states were all inclined to
fall again and assert their own
"status" and nationalities without
much regard for the common good.

LITTLE RIVER

(Held over from last week)
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Trask have
recently returned from a visit to re-
latives in Bridgetown.

Hugh Denton, engineer on the
Radio III, of Tiverton, is home for
the winter months.

Mrs. John Trask has returned
home from a two weeks' visit with
her brother, Walton Tibert, in Fred-
erickton.

The schooner has returned from de-
livering a cargo of coal at Westport
from Parrsboro, and is now in winter
quarters at Omer Denton's wharf.

Clarence Tidd, of Freeport, who
has been spending a few days with
friends here has returned home.
Mrs. Oscar Theriault, who has
been spending a week with her father,
Kelsey Trask, has returned to her
home in East Ferry.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Small have
moved into their new home at East
Ferry.

Hugh Collins has returned home
from Mulgrave for the winter.

Miss Helen Frost, who has been
visiting her uncle, Walton Tibert,
at Fredericton, and relatives at
Saint John during the past month
returned home on Monday.

Georgina Denton, who has been
spending a week or so with her aunt,
Mrs. H. M. Mullen, at Weymouth,
has returned home.

Edgar Trask, son of Kelsey Trask
has returned home from the Digby
General Hospital, after a successful
operation for appendicitis.

Deacon Joseph Tidd, of Whale
Cove, was operated on in the Yar-
mouth Hospital last week, and Abra-
ham Walker was operated on in the
Digby Hospital for appendicitis.

Both patients are doing well.

Letters to the Editor

Promoters of N. W. Club
Should Go Slowly

To the Editor of the Weekly Courier:
Sir—I have heard with interest the
movement on the part of some citi-
zens to form a Fellowship Club com-
posed of business and professional
men in the town of Digby. Permi-
me to express through your value-
columns some thoughts and sugges-
tions in connection with the forma-
tion of any such club. I firmly be-
lieve that in an attempt to reach
the scope "they won't be happy until
they get it." It may not occur to
them that there is a danger of slipping
with disastrous results. Those who
are responsible for starting this new
club are at the time warned to re-
sist the plan and plan wisely before making
the plunge.

Before proceeding further let me
state that it has been my privilege
to be a charter member of the Saint
John and Charlottetown Gyro Clubs
and also one of the Halifax Gyros.
In each case the problems and ques-
tions facing those who were found-
ing the club happened to be quite
similar and I am led to believe they
are almost universal.

There is no man here, perhaps,
whose heart does not answer to the
appeal of happy human companionship.
But, dreaming bright visions
is one thing, honest work to make
them a reality is quite another. The
question is, how can that work be
best applied? You know something
of the gang spirit with boys. If you
can control and direct it you can do
much to mould the character of the
boy. Do a gang spirit among men. In every
class, in every set, in every commu-
nity, in every nation—whether we
call it Mrs. Grundy, whether we call
it good form or fashion, under a
hundred phrases it is always there
and is always operating. I offer
one practical suggestion. I offer
namely, that each and every mem-
ber should put forth an earnest ef-
fort to bring himself into more in-
imate contact with his fellow citi-
zens and establish a common inter-
est. Before you can enroll your-
self as a fellow-worker with a man
or a body of men you must realize
that there is a bond of union, and
you must become acquainted with
him or them. In your endeavor to
understand a man you deepen your
knowledge, not only of him but also
of yourself. Such effort if it is mu-
tual, will awaken in both a commu-
nity sense; a realization that the life
of an individual is wrapped up with
and cannot be separated from the
lives of his fellow men.

There is a tendency to narrow life
to our own selfish ends—to our fa-
milies, to our set, to our class.
To combat this should be one aim
of the club. It should seek to
broaden men's interests until the
range of his sympathies reaches out
to every living creature.

Representing the various trades
and professions in our community
should strive to develop a deep
community spirit which will eagerly
seek out and support everything that
will tend to advance the well-being
of our fellows.

The club should have a definite
interest and program otherwise
the individual member must depend
upon a few friends who think along
the same lines, and will be tempted
to make use of the club for selfish
purposes.

Even the community interest it-
self should be linked up with some-
thing broad and big, outside of the
town, otherwise it may go to pieces
for lack of enthusiasm.

Yours, for Service,
A. E. Gabriel

Interesting Letter from a Former Digby County Man

To the Editor of the Courier:
Sir—I am a former resident of
Digby county, but am now living in
Connecticut. We are having a
lovely winter here—no snow to
speak of. The streets and side-
walks are like spring, and one can
sit out of doors every day in the
warm sun.

I get letters from home saying they
are sledding. Oh, boy! it makes me
think of those good old days when
I used to draw logs and lumber for
H. T. Warner and Clarke Bros.

I receive your daily papers
and read them with interest, but
when I read about things young men
for drinking it makes me feel badly.
I think it is high time for Christ's
followers to wake up as He did, and
put those liquor places in Digby and
Nova Scotia out of business.

It is the same today as when I
was a young man, fifty years ago,
you can buy it like a loaf of bread.

Instead of going out to victory we
are going on to defeat.

It will be too late after all our
young men are lost.

I listen to the news over the radio
and when I hear of the run run-
ners being fired on and the captain
from Lunenburg, Nova Scotia, killed,
it made me blush for my country.

With God's help they are going
to keep dry in the United States.

I would like to hear from others
on "Temperance" and the steps set
for the young of our generation.

Thaddeus A. Harris
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trouble and am gaining in weight and
strength. I will gladly recommend the
Vegetable Compound to anyone."
Mrs. F. Stewart, Box 220, Mitchell,
Ont.



EAST FERRY

(Held over from last week)
We are having quite severe winter
weather at present.

Mrs. Chloe Stanton is spending a
few weeks at the home of Mr. and
Mrs. Norman Robbins, Tiverton.

Erwin Stanton has arrived home
from New York, where he has been
receiving medical treatment. He is
much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stanton spent
the week end at the latter's home,
Sandy Cove.

Miss Helena Kelly, of Little River
spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs.
Oscar Theriault.

Ernest Denton, of Little River,
spent a few days in this place re-
cently, visiting friends.

Miss Edythe Gidney, teacher here,
spent the week end at her home in
Mink Cove.

Miss Marnie McLeod, of South
Ohio, Yarmouth County, is visiting
her sister, Mrs. F. P. Small.

Miss Helen Theriault, who has
been a patient in the Middleton Hos-
pital, for appendicitis, has returned
home much improved in health.

Bertram Kibby, of Granville Ferry,
is visiting friends here.

Miss Dorothy Denton is visiting
her sister, Mrs. Carl Small.

Mrs. Emerson Titus and children,
of Westport, spent last week with
her sister, Mrs. Wilfred Theriault.

CLÉMENTSVALE

Miss Agnes L. Cress, who has been
visiting her grandparents, in Mil-
ford, has returned home.

A new son has arrived at the home
of Mr. and Mrs. Fred O. Pitter, and
a new daughter at the home of Mr.
and Mrs. Willis Potter recently.

Miss Ruby M. Lowe was taken to
the Digby Hospital a few days ago
to undergo an operation.

George Danielson is visiting his
sister, Mrs. Norman Sanford, and
Mr. Sanford.

The ladies' sewing circle met at
the home of Mrs. G. W. Cress on
Thursday last.

Former Digby Neck Lady Dies in Marblehead

Mrs. Frederick Merritt died on
Sunday night at the home of her
sister, Mrs. W. B. Humphries, in
Marblehead, Mass. She had been
sick since June last, but only took
her bed a week ago. She leaves to
mourn, her husband and daughter,
Ruth; three sisters, Mrs. Albert E.
Gidney, of Mink Cove (a twin); Mrs.
Richard Phillips and Mrs. W. B.
Humphrey; also one brother, Wm.
Eldridge. The remains were placed
in a vault until later in the year
when they will be brought home and
interred in the Sandy Cove United
church cemetery.



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Birthday Party at Deep Brook

A very delightful evening was
spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs.
Loran Adams, Deep Brook, on Wed-
nesday of last week, when a large
number of friends gathered to cele-
brate Mr. Adams' birthday, the party
being a complete surprise to him.
The time was occupied in games and
music, both vocal and radio selec-
tions. Rev. Mr. Habel sang several
solos, and during the evening, in a
gracious manner, presented Mr.
Adams with a substantial purse, on
behalf of his many friends.
Adams responded in his pleasing
manner. At the close of the even-
ing refreshments, prepared by the
hostess, were served by Mr. and Mrs.
Frank Adams, Miss Freda Adams,
and Miss Alma Rice. Two beau-
tiful birthday cakes were served, one
of which was presented by Mr.
Adams' daughter, Mrs. Willis Rice,
of Middleton. The guests, over forty
in number, dispersed, wishing Mr.
Adams many more happy birthdays.

KEMPTVILLE

The ladies of East Kempt held a
successful ice cream social at the
home of Percy Hamilton, on Satur-
day evening, January 31st. The
sum of ten dollars was realized for
church purposes.

The ladies of the Women's Institute
intend holding a concert and ice
cream social in Coronation Hall, this
evening.

Mrs. Dora Nickerson spent several
days last week at the home of Mr.
and Mrs. Randall Jeffrey.

Milford Hurlbut has returned to
his home here after spending a cou-
ple of months at New Tusket.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Roberts are
spending an indefinite time at the
home of the former's brother, Mer-
ton Roberts.

Paul Randall has returned from
the United States, where he has been
employed for the past year.

Lloyd Ring has returned home af-
ter having spent the past month in
Carleton.

WEYMOUTH NORTH

Vera and Wallace Mullen spent
the week end at their home in New
Tusket.

The annual business meeting of
the Riverside United Baptist church
was held at the home of Mrs. Wil-
liam Thurber, on Tuesday afternoon.

The schooner E. P. Theriault sail-
ed on Friday with a cargo of timber
for Grand Manan.

The pupils of the advanced depart-
ment of the school held at Wey-
mouth Mills on Friday afternoon,
where they enjoyed a coasting party,
having supper at the home of Ste-
phen Prime, and returning in the
evening.

Miss Hilda Hagan, teacher at Gil-
bert's Cove, spent the week end at
her home here.

Miss Queenie Dale, who has been
visiting friends at New Tusket, re-
turned on Thursday.

Leg Badly Broken By Rolling Log

Dennis Melanson, of Concession,
was admitted to the Yarmouth Hos-
pital last Wednesday suffering from a
badly fractured leg. Mr. Melanson
was rolling a log when his heavy
slipped, allowing the heavy timber
to knock him down and crush his
limb. The unfortunate woodsman
is the father of the 17-year-old James
Melanson, who lost his life two
weeks ago, when a massive log rolled
on him from a brow, breaking
his neck. A third misfortune befell
the household when a day or two
after the accident to James, the
boy's grandfather passed away, his
death probably hastened by the
shock of the calamity.



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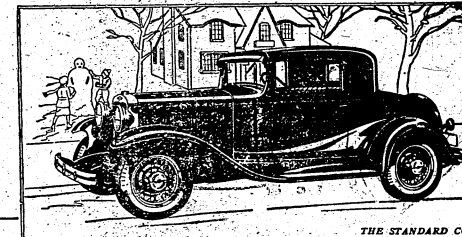
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TIVERTON

By Elliott, of the Bank of Nova Scotia, spent Sunday at home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elliott.

Ena Outhouse left last week to take up her studies.

Byron Clifford returned home from Whale Cove last week.

Edward Robbins is out again after being confined to his home a number of months. He was shot through the leg while hunting, but has fully recovered.

Dalton Sollows is visiting relative at Mink Cove.

Ernie Clifford has returned from Halifax and is spending some months with his father, Capt. Clifford.

Married At Meteghan

A marriage of much local interest took place on Thursday morning of last week, when Rev. Father J. Deveau united in the holy bonds of matrimony Mrs. Agnes Saulnier, of Meteghan, and Fidele Robichaud, also of Meteghan. The marriage was solemnized at Stella Maris Church. The bride's eldest daughter, Irene, acted as bridesmaid, while Edward Deveau, nephew of the groom, was best man. As the couple entered the church Lohengrin's wedding march was played by the organist, Mrs. Joseph S. LeBlanc. Following the ceremony a breakfast was tendered at the home of the groom, after which the happy couple motored to Digby.

Well Known Ministers in New Fraternity

A Baptist minister's fraternity for Cumberland County was organized last week at a well attended meeting at Meteghan, with Rev. Frank Smith, formerly of Smith's Cove and now of Oxford, as president, and Rev. Harvey Denton, a Little River boy, now pastor at Farnborough, secretary. At a public meeting in the evening Rev. H. M. Manzer, of Southampton, was the chief speaker. (We do not know Mr. Manzer, but judging from the name we would say that he belongs somewhere around Ashmore—but we may be mistaken. —News Editor Courier).

Edgar Trask, who has been a patient at the Digby Hospital, has returned to his home in Little River.

Meet the Makers of "Melody Mike"

The Canadian Pacific Railway cross-continent radio feature, "Melody Mike" every Monday night has grown into the most popular radio hour in Canada.

As a result of the fact that many thousands of letters are constantly poured into the railway headquarters from music and general effects and for the direction of a well-known entertainer and have sung before the Prince of Wales. They won radio fame as the "A and B" battery boys. This season they have concentrated on "Melody Mike". Mrs. Evelyn M. Biddle is responsible for the continuity and dialogue of the feature. She taught school in Ontario where her knowledge of atmosphere was acquired and where she gained the wide experience from which such characters as "Simplicity Sawdust," "Deacon Scratchy," "Abe," "Whiskers Wilson," and "Lack-a-day Liz" were evolved. These characters have captured the liking and interest of hundreds of thousands of listeners.

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Quebec Sets Pace In Winter Sports



Winter sports, in the most historic city of the American continent, Old Quebec, cradle of New World civilization, with the Canadian Pacific Railway's beautiful Chateau Frontenac Hotel as headquarters, are again proving a drawing card for devotees from all parts of Eastern Canada and the United States. The great hotel, with its long, fast toboggan-slide on Dufferin Terrace and its spacious skating-rink just outside its doors, offers something unique in the way of comfort for sports lovers. Quebec, too, boasts a fine ski-jump and plentiful opportunities for cross-country work either on skis or snowshoes. Curling, hockey and sleighing are also staples of the winter program, most events being snowed off with dancing in the evening.

The season is now in full swing; the International Snowshoe Convention and the ice-canoe race across the St. Lawrence on January 31 and February 1; the famous Eastern Dog-Sled Derby on February 19, 20, and 21, followed by the traditional Masquerade Ball in the Chateau Frontenac's gracious ball-room, being among the high-lights.

For picturesque, Canada's Ancient Capital can add its own with any city in the world and the surrounding countryside offers a host of opportunities for excursions. Snow conditions, following the great January storm, are reported excellent and those who have visited the Chateau Frontenac, either in winter or in summer, have learned that its name for hospitality, accommodation and cuisine is indeed well-earned.

The pictures show above: a typical dog-team and, right, the majestic Chateau Frontenac, towering over Quebec's Lower Town; upper centre and lower-left, ski-jumpers and, below, visitors out for a run in the Chateau Frontenac's dog-sleigh. The very youthful skiers shown middle-left are typical of how young Quebec takes to winter sports, which have become famous throughout the American continent and bring visitors and competitors over Canadian Pacific lines from most of the larger centres of Eastern Canada and the United States.

Try Magnesia for Stomach Trouble

To Neutralize Acidity and Fermentation—Prevents Indigestion, Sour Gassy Stomach

People who suffer from indigestion usually have tried pepin, charcoal, soda and various digestive aids and got little more than slight temporary relief—sometimes not even that. But before giving up to chronic dyspepsia, just try the effect of a little Bisulphate of Magnesia—not the ordinary commercial carbonate, citrate or milk, but pure Bisulphate of Magnesia which you can obtain from any druggist in either powder or tablet form.

Take a teaspoonful of the powder or four tablets with a little water after your next meal, and see what a difference this makes. It will instantly neutralize the dangerous, harmful acid in the stomach which now causes your food to ferment and sour, making gas, wind, flatulence, heartburn and the bloated or heavy, lumpy feeling that seems to follow most everything you eat. You can enjoy your meals without a fear of indigestion.

Danvers-Southville Band Gives a Concert.

A band concert and minstrel show was given in the Community Theatre, at Weymouth, on Wednesday, by the Danvers-Southville band, and a number of people from Weymouth North, the program being as follows:

Chorus—O Canada.
Band Selection.
Reading—Miss Kathleen Fitzgerald.
Band Selections.
Solo—Miss Annie Simmonds.
Dancing—Mrs. Wallie Melanson.
Solo—Fred Brittain.
Band Selections.
Solo—Mrs. Calvin Granville.
Sketch—Mrs. Eve Wendell and Miss Gwendolyn Titus.
Chorus—Old Folks at Home.
Reading—Mrs. Fred Brittain.
Solo—Mrs. Eunice Skidmore.
Dancing—Mrs. Wallie Melanson.
Sketch—Miss Lois Tooker and Margaret Rand.
Duet—Mrs. Granville and Miss Simmonds.
Chorus—Ham and Eggs.
Brass Quartet.
Solo—Lois Tooker.
Band Selections.
Chorus—Jingle Bells.
Solo—Fred Brittain.
Jokes—Miss Tooker, Mrs. Wendell, and Mrs. Skidmore.
Band Selections.
God Save the King.
Mrs. Haines Marshall was pianist for the evening and Leonard Jones played the bones. Mrs. John Dunkley was also in the cast. The sum of about \$30 and \$35 was made and will be used towards buying new instruments for the band.

CLIMATE OF ANCIENT DAYS TOLD FROM BIBLE'S PALM AND VINE

Mentions in the Bible of two important plants, the grape-vine and the date palm, were discussed by Professor J. W. Gregory of the University of Glasgow before the recent hundred-year anniversary meeting of the Royal Geographical Society, in London, as evidence that the climate of Palestine has not changed materially since Biblical times, contrary to the opinion of some scientific men who believe that country and possibly the whole earth to be growing slowly drier and warmer. The description of the grapes which Joshua's spies brought back from the Promised Land prove, Professor Gregory maintained, that at that time the grapevine grew well in Palestine but did not grow in the desert country to the south, from which the tribes under Joshua had

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come. This same condition exists today indicating that Palestine has grown no colder since Joshua's invasion. Had it done so the grapevine would have been exterminated and the date palm pushed back into the highlands to the north. Even more definite evidence is supplied. Professor Gregory stated, by Biblical descriptions of the date-palm: This plant now grows in Palestine as well as elsewhere along the northern shores of the Mediterranean but it bears no fruit, in these countries, their climates being too cold. In the Bible, Professor Gregory pointed out, date-palms are mentioned frequently but always as mere ornaments or as symbols of grace or victory. Nowhere in the Bible, he asserted, is there even one mention of dates as fruit or of the date-palm as a source of food. This proves, he believes, that the date-palm of Biblical days also was fruitless because the climate was the same as now.



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He went to the cupboard
To get them some butter
and bread,
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At this time of year,
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The Funeral of the Late St. Clair Ruggles

The funeral of the late St. Clair Ruggles, whose death occurred on Wednesday last week, took place at Tiverton, on Friday, Rev. Mr. Arceley, of the United Baptist Church officiated. The pall bearers were four of his foster brothers, Hiram Outhouse, James Cossaboon, Herman Elliott and Roy Small. Mr. Ruggles, who was always interested in the business life of the place, held at the time of his death, the offices of Notary Public, Recorder of Births and Deaths, issuer of marriage licenses, and was the R. S. of Court Pelite, No. 969, I. O. F. He was also a member of the Masonic order, having joined Old Westport Lodge years ago. Besides his family of three daughters and two sons, he is survived by two brothers, Edwin and Hubert, of Westport. The latter attended the funeral but the first-named was too ill at his home.

CULLODEN

Mrs. Sadie Stark has returned home from her visit to Digby. Mary VanTassel, of Mt. Pleasant, was the guest of Miss Barbara Ross, on Sunday. Hedley Stark, of Digby, was in this place on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. George VanTassel, of the Lighthouse Road, spent Sunday with Mrs. Herbert Daley. Gerald Handspiker and Herbert Handspiker spent Sunday with friends in Bay View. Mr. and Mrs. Valentine Pully spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Emmon Stark. Milton Bain spent a few days last week with friends in Digby.

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ANNUAL MEETING BEAR RIVER UNITED BAPTIST CHURCH

The annual business meeting of the Bear River United Baptist church, was held on January 21st. The attendance was large. The treasurer reported monies raised from all sources to be \$4,894.00. The denominational allotment has been met in full, and all bills paid. When past due pledges are paid there will be a respectable balance on the right side of the account. Every society and organization of the church reported progress. Repairs to the foundation of the church were made during the autumn, as well as repairs to the parsonage. The senior and junior C. G. I. T. groups, Mrs. Lottie Roop, and the Ladies Circle furnished the parsonage with a new range. During the year there have been twelve additions by baptism, one by letter. The losses have been ten by letter, four by death. Pastor MacLeod has entered upon his second year of pastoral care. He maintains the confidence of his flock. Preaching and prayer meeting services are well attended. The annual roll call was held October 15th 1930. One hundred and fifty responded by letter or in person. Two hundred and fifteen parishes of refreshments. About \$600.00 was received as a thank offering. An appeal known as "Keeping the Faith" fund was made in December and the sum of \$249.00 was pledged or paid. Expressions of appreciation and gratitude were tendered every society, organization and committee of the church that had so cheerfully assisted in carrying forward the various services of the church. No other business appearing the meeting went from labor to refreshment. A half hour was spent in social converse and Christian fellowship. A happy occasion was brought to a close by singing "Blest Be the Tie That Binds."

STREET LIGHTING

Alfred Porter has received the following letter, dated the 4th inst. from Premier Harrington:

Dear Sir:

I acknowledge your letter on the 29th of January. Going further into the situation of street lighting at Bear River, you will at once understand that this is the first time the matter has come to my attention, of the circumstances concerning it, and I have no knowledge whatever. However, I shall have it looked into as soon as possible.

Yours faithfully,

G. S. Harrington

F. W. Fraser, Canadian trade commissioner to Kingston, Jamaica, and Mrs. Fraser, were guests at the dinner preceding the reception given by the Governor and Lady Stubbs on February 3rd, in honor of T. R. H. the Prince of Wales and Prince George, on their recent visit to Kingston.

Local and Personal

We are glad to report the improvement in health of Mrs. F. W. Sawdon, who is a patient in the Digby General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman McIntosh on Thursday for Charlottetown, P. E. I. where they will be guests of Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Archibald.

Don't forget the tea and pantry sale in the Masonic kitchen tomorrow afternoon, by the C. G. I. T. of the United Church of Canada.

Wendall Chute, of Boston, Mass., accompanied by his small son, Lionel, is making a short visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Chute.

Mr. Tibert, of Little River, has rented Mrs. Joseph Weir's house for a time. He has his nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Frank with him.

The members of the Progressive Bible class, of the United Baptist church, met on Monday evening at the Grand Central Hotel for their monthly social.

Mrs. Daniel Dukeshire, of Bear River East, has had the misfortune to fall down stairs and break her hip. She is resting as comfortably as can be expected.

Rev. F. W. Sawdon had the misfortune to fall on Sunday last, slightly injuring one arm. The United church service was taken in the evening by Rev. Mr. Murray.

The members of the Senior B. Y. P. U. held an enjoyable Valentine party on Friday evening, and the Juniors enjoyed a bean supper and dancing party on Saturday.

The world's day of prayer will be observed by all the churches. In Bear River the service will be in the United church, on Friday Feb. 20th. All are welcome.

The 32nd Anniversary Sale of the Bear River Trading Company, Ltd., came to an end on Saturday evening, and was an unqualified success. The Trading Company wish to thank their many patrons.

Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Campbell entertained on Wednesday evening of last week, at a most enjoyable supper bridge of three tables. The prize winners for the evening were Mrs. A. G. MacIntyre, Major A. M. Simons and Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Harris.

Mrs. Harvey Kinney returned on Wednesday from Halifax, where she had been a guest of her nephew, Eric Morse, and Mrs. Morse, and had spent some time with Hon. O. P. and Mrs. Goucher. She was accompanied by sister, Mrs. Mae Morse, who will spend several weeks with her.

Digby Girl Married in Bear River

The marriage took place on Tuesday evening of last week, at the United Baptist parsonage, in Bear River, of Miss Daisy Jean Robinson, of Digby, and Frank Colman Rice, son of the late Stanley Rice, of Bear River. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. A. A. MacLeod. The bride looked lovely in a pretty gown of brown, crepe backed satin, with accessories to match. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cosby, of Smith's Cove. Mr. and Mrs. Rice will make their home in Bear River.



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OBITUARY

Harold E. Ray

The death occurred at the Victoria General Hospital, Halifax, on Friday last, of Harold E. Ray, at the age of 37 years. Mr. Ray had been sick for over ten months from injuries received in the Armada Theatre fire, at Middleton. Deceased was born in Bear River, and was the son of the late Capt. Edward Ray, and Jane Mullen Ray. His father was lost at sea when he was nine years old. Now he leaves a little boy nine years old, besides a sorrowing wife who was formerly Claire Kent, of Preaport; a mother, who resides at Cambridge; and one sister, Mrs. George Cox, of Cambridge; besides a number of relatives and friends. He was a member of the church, and also of Sunbeam Lodge, I. O. O. F., of Middleton. The funeral was held from his late home on Monday afternoon, with interment at Middleton.

Donald Pictou

At the V. G. Hospital, Halifax, Monday morning, Feb. 9th, there entered into the Great Beyond Donald Pictou, son of the late Simon and Rachel Pictou. Donald was a very bright little boy, and bore his suffering with much patience. He was eight years of age and leaves a mother, two sisters and one brother. The remains arrived from Halifax on Tuesday, and the funeral was held on Wednesday, with interment in the R. C. cemetery, Father Murphy officiating.

SMITH'S COVE

The First Smith's Cove troop of Girl Guides gave a party in the Temperance Hall Tuesday evening last, to celebrate their first anniversary. Their guests were the Boy Scouts and a few other friends. The evening was spent in games and contests. Refreshments were served among which was a prettily decorated birthday cake, presented by Mrs. George Weir.

Miss Marjory Jones, of Kentville, was a week end guest of Dr. and Mrs. S. B. MacGregor.

Dean Clayton, of Halifax is spending a few days with his family here. Mrs. Alexander Banks spent a few days in Digby last week, with her daughter, Mrs. Reginald Weir, and Mr. Weir.

SCOUT NOTES

At last Thursday's meeting the Scout master was absent and the programme was carried through by the Assistant Scout Master and the Troop Leader.

Cleveland Dukeshire, of the Foxes, has passed all his second class tests and was presented with the badge of second class scout.

Thelbert Read was appointed patrol second of the Beavers.

On Tuesday evening the Rover crew held a rally at which the Rover leader, Rev. A. A. MacLeod, gave a talk on the Rover tests. The crew provided themselves with a hot dog feed. The Bear River Rover crew is No. 341 in Canada, and is the fifth organized in Nova Scotia.

There is good Cub news this week. For several years past we have had no Cub pack owing to lack of a Cub master. But during the term when L. V. Harris served as Cub master, we recognized the very important part which a Cub organization plays in scouting, and we are looking forward with great pleasure to the first of April when Harold Hathaway expects to be able to come in on the Cub work. Mr. Hathaway has already had valuable experience in Cub training in Upper Canada.

MARRIED

Peck-Hewey—At the Advent Parsonage, Bear River, Wednesday, February 4th, 1931, by Rev. C. P. Henderson, Orland Peck and Lillian Hewey, of Greenland.

Rice-Robinson—At the United Baptist Parsonage, Bear River, Tuesday, February 3, 1931, by Rev. A. A. MacLeod, Frank Coleman Rice and Daisy Jean Robinson, of Bear River.

Zwicker-Pendleton—At the United Baptist parsonage, Bear River, Wednesday, February 4, 1931, by Rev. A. A. MacLeod, Grant Harold Zwicker and Gladys Eugenia Pendleton, of Bear River.

Local and Personal

Come and buy your "eats" for Saturday at the pantry sale.

Mrs. L. V. Harris was "at home" to friends on Thursday afternoon.

R. E. Pelus, of Lawrence town, was in town several days recently.

Miss Saunders, of Truro, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Purdy. St. John's Guild met on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Leary.

Mrs. E. Schmidt entertained a number of guests on Monday evening.

Miss Ruth Connell, of Bridgetown, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lovett Harris.

Mrs. Chas. VanBerkirk was the week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Tupper.

Don't forget the pantry sale, on St. Valentine's day, at the Masonic kitchen.

The Brotherhood met on Wednesday evening in the vestry of the test church.

Vernon Hill, son of B. Hill, has gone to Saint John to attend Mechanics school.

J. H. Cunningham was host on Tuesday evening to the Two-Table Men's Bridge Club.

The W. M. S. of the United church met on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. A. Chute.

The Ladies' Aid was entertained at the home of Mrs. A. B. Campbell on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. R. R. Baxter entertained at a dinner party on Friday night. Covers were laid for nine.

Mrs. Lovett Harris entertained at a dinner party on Thursday in honor of her guest, Miss Connell.

Miss Lois Wentzell, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Oakley Banks, has returned home.

Miss Louise Harris is very ably filling the position of organist in the United Baptist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thomas and child, returned on Friday to their home in Squantum, Mass.

Mrs. W. Dunn, of Clements vale, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Chas. Wamboldt, on Friday.

Mrs. Harvey Marshall, who has been on the sick list for some time, is much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Potter, Clements vale, are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a son.

The men's one-table contract bridge club met on Thursday evening at the home of H. O. Anthony.

Mrs. L. J. Lovett entertained the ladies of the Contract Club on Monday afternoon, three tables being in play.

Mrs. Fred Chalmers entertained the ladies of the Baptist circle, on Tuesday evening, at the Commercial House.

Mrs. Fred C. Harris and Mrs. R. C. Harris left on Monday for Middleton to attend the funeral of the late H. Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jones, of Deep Brook, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Harris on Monday evening.

The Philathea Class of the United Baptist church met for their social evening on Thursday, with Mrs. Carol Clarke.

Rev. and Mrs. A. A. MacLeod left on Tuesday morning for Wolfville to attend the Association of the United Baptist church.

Ernest Davis, Jr., has returned home from the Digby Hospital, where he underwent a successful operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. Harry MacKarron, of Manchester, N. H., has been an overnight guest this week of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Clarke.



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ANNUAL MEETING, JANUARY 1931—LIST OF DISTRICT OFFICERS

POLLING DISTRICT, NO. 1—HILLSBURGH

Police Constables—Ernest Davis, John Freeman, Maurice Davis, Inspector of Fruit and Vegetables—R. A. Harris, J. Harrow, Inspector of Leather—J. Freeman, Inspector of Wood, Timber, Logs, Piling and Shingles—Vernon McCormick, Harding Benson, Inspector of Barrels—C. B. Miller, Howard Rice, Inspector of Meat and Fish—Wilfred Chute, F. Chalmers, To Prevent Cattle Running at Large—Ernest Kempton, Charles Morgan, Forman Rice, Ben. Alcorn, Freeman Rice, Commissioner West Branch—Roy Snell, Health Warden—R. H. Purdy, B. Dunn, Dr. A. B. Campbell, Dr. L. J. Lovett, Bridge Tender—Harding Benson, Clerk of License—H. Anthony, Town Clerk—H. R. Kinney, Overseers of Highways—No. 1, Howard Rice; No. 2, Lloyd Harris; No. 3, Freeman Rice; No. 4, Alphonse; No. 5, Roscoe Alcorn; No. 6, Bernard Alcorn; No. 7, Roy Alcorn; No. 8, John Payne; No. 11, Fred Harris; No. 12, Fred Porter; No. 13, Warren Prazee; No. 14, Frank Potter; No. 15, Robert Rice, Assessor—H. R. Kinney, Pound Keepers—Freeman Rice, H. R. Kinney, Roy Alcorn, Ben. Alcorn, Roy Snell, Forman Rice, C. R. Harris, Fence Viewers—Carl Miller, Minnie Chute, John Freeman, Fire Warden—Harding Benson, Maurice Benson, Rupert Harris, Presiding Officer Municipal Election—C. D. Rice, Revisor Electoral List—C. D. Rice, Overseers of Poor—Harding Benson, Harry Purdy, Harry Anthony, Sheep Valuers—Wm. Hixman, Bernard Alcorn, To Prevent Coasting Bear River—West Side—Stewart Darras, Councillor—H. Chisholm.

POLLING DISTRICT, NO. 2—BRIGITON

Assessor—D. C. McKay, Collector of Taxes—Jesse Marshall, Presiding Officer Municipal Election—Joseph Vincent, Revisor of Electoral Lists—D. C. McKay, Clerk of License—J. A. Morehouse, Overseers of Poor—J. A. Morehouse, V. C. Marshall, Frank Gates, Albert Marshall, Goudy Nichols, Board of Health—Wm. Cosman, C. Bell, John A. Nichols, James Roy, Constables—Wm. Mallett, Fred Height, Stephen Marshall, Jr., Police Constables—Harris Cosman, Wm. Mallett, D. C. McKay, Surveyors of Lumber—Wm. Mallett, Frank Gates, J. A. Morehouse, Herbert Theriault, George Nichols, Surveyors of Wood, Logs, Piling, Bark, etc.—Stewart Goldsmith, Frank Gates, J. A. Morehouse, Herbert Theriault, George Nichols, Fence Viewers—Wallace Berry, James Woodman, George Nichols, Acadaville, Joseph Bell, Hill Grove, Wm. Mallett, South Range; Herbert Theriault, Blomfield; John Ryan, Jr., Marshalltown; Samuel Woodman, Conway, Overseers of Highways—District No. 1, Joseph O'Neill; No. 2, Wm. Johns; No. 3, Morris Melanson; No. 4, Charles Seely; No. 5, Charles Johns; No. 6, Fred Durland; No. 7, Joseph Comeau; No. 8, Hanford Foster; No. 9, Herbert Theriault; No. 10, Charles Mallett; No. 11, Fred Height; No. 12, Perry Foster; No. 13, Joseph Franklin; No. 14, Fred Harris; No. 15, John Nichols; No. 16, Arthur Marshall; No. 17, William Barton; No. 18, Wallace Berry; No. 19, John Marshall; No. 20, Charles Holmes; No. 21, William Foster; No. 22, James Woodman; No. 23, Wm. Barton; No. 24, Thomas Franklin; No. 25, Wilson Francis—part of district from Aymar's Corner to Joggin Bridge, at end of district, Councillor—H. H. Marshall.

POLLING DISTRICT, NO. 4—SANDY COVE

Assessor—Emmon Tibert, Collector of Rates—Lemuel Raymond, Presiding Officer, Municipal Election—Frank Saunders, Revisor of Electoral Lists—Chas. Morton, Centerville; William Denton, Little River, Constables—Orwell Outhouse, S. Hogg, Reginald Sypher, George Merritt, Emmon Tibert, Harley Theriault, Police Constables—Albert Peters, Leslie Titus, G. W. Eldridge, C. H. Saunders, Thomas Denton, Charles Height, Pound Keepers—Perry Holmes, Thompson, G. W. Eldridge, Randolph Theriault; Byron—Frank, Joseph Height, Sandy Small, To Prevent Cattle Running at Large—L. Cossett, William Gidney,

POLLING DISTRICT, NO. 7—FLYMPTON

Overseers of Poor—W. M. Warner, Frank C. Amery, Wm. Devore, Ernest Ring, Leonard Melanson, Overseers of Highways—No. 1, Manning MacNeil; No. 2, Fred Vail; No. 3, Roy Melanson; No. 4, Joseph H. Melanson; No. 5, Amos Warner; No. 6, Ben. Comeau; No. 7, Willard I. Teabo; No. 8, Charles Lamberton; No. 9, George Taylor; No. 10, Hamilton Wagner; No. 11, George Laidlaw; No. 12, Frank Robit; No. 13, N. Burnham Thibodeau; No. 14, Herbert Melanson; No. 15, Oran Wagner; No. 16, Ephraim Amery; No. 17, Lewis Cook; No. 18, Ralph MacNeil; No. 19, Forrest Hill; No. 20, Clarence Sabean; No. 21, George Laidlaw; No. 22, William Wamboldt; No. 23, Frank Haight; No. 24, Edward S. Thibault; No. 25, Archibald Wagner; No. 26, Enos Amery; No. 27, Alfred Haight; No. 28, Ralph Haight, To Prevent Cattle Running at Large—P. Durland, Gordon O'Neill, Dexter Comeau, George F. Melanson, Theo. Thibodeau, Kingsley Melanson, Augustus P. Amery, Herbert Deveau, Hamilton Wagner, Handford Thibault, George Thibault, Gilbert Marshall, Leonard Comeau, Alfred Haight, Jesse Wright, James Hill, Board of Health—Dr. Harris, St. Clair Perry, Andrew Morrissey, Maynard Melanson, Martin Dugas, Frank Haight, Collector of Rates—John A. Andrews, Assessor—J. W. Bragg, Clerk of License—H. W. B. Warner, Pound Keepers—Wallace Wright, Anson Warner, Theophilus Melanson, Roy Melanson, Charles Comeau, Frank C. Amery, O. Wagner, Albert Amery, Archibald Wagner, Geo. N. Thibault, Freeman Amery, Sr., Walton Shortliffe, H. C. MacNeill, John Durland, Edward Cook, To Prevent Offal, Cough Grass, etc., from Being Thrown into the Sea—Cutler Haight, Wallace Wright, Lloyd Wright, Theodore Thibodeau, Removal of Filth, Encumbrances, etc., from Highway—John Durland, F. J. Amery, Presiding Officer Municipal Election—George Murr, Leslie Sabean, Deputy Presiding Officer Municipal Election—Burnham Thibault, Surveyors of Lumber—Steve Wood, Cord Wood, Pulp Wood, Shingles, Lath, etc.—H. W. B. Warner, Joseph Potter, Capt. B. Melanson, Heber Amery, Charles Thibodeau, Geo. F. Amery, Henry I. Thibault, Fence Viewers—W. H. Comeau, Frank Doucette, Clayton Haight, James Hill, Heman Marshall, Henry Thibodeau, Charles Thibodeau, Eugene White, Sheep Valuers—Maynard Melanson, Frank Haight (to take effect at once), Inspectors of Fish—Curtis Specht, Charles Melanson, W. H. Comeau, Fire Warden—St. Clair Perry, Charles Lamberton, John Smith, Constables and Police Constables—Anson Warner, Ernest Ring, Theophilus Melanson, A. W. Andrews, Clifford Thibault, George F. Amery, Commissioners of Water Rights on Sissiboo River—Albert Amery, John T. Amery (to take effect at once), Councillor—J. V. Andrews.

POLLING DISTRICT, NO. 8—WEYMOUTH NORTH

Assessor—Fred H. Lent, Collector, William H. Brooks, Overseers of Highways for Shovel—Snow—No. 1, David Kinney; No. 2, George Foster; No. 3, Arthur Melanson; No. 4, Stephen Smith; No. 5, Victor Doty; No. 6, Phillip Robit; No. 7, Willis Cosman; No. 8, Warren Doty; No. 9, William Melanson; No. 10, William Burns; No. 11, Amos Hill; No. 12, Sydney Titus, Prevent Cattle Running at Large—Fred Brittain, Willis Cosman, Burns, Pound Keepers—William C. Melanson, George Doty, Revisor Electoral Lists—H. M. Journey, Clerk of License—H. B. Grant, Presiding Officer Municipal Election—F. B. Sweeney, Constables—David Kinney, Adelbert Prime, Arty Doty, Andrew Elliott, Board of Health—Fred Lent, David Kinney, H. B. Grant, Fence Viewers—Harley Brooks, James Thibodeau, Overseers of Poor—P. B. Sweeney, William W. Kinney, Arty Doty, Surveyors of Lumber—Timber, Wood, Piling and Pulp Wood—Edward Greiner, Amos Hill, Alfred Johnson, H. Mullen, Sheep Valuers—William Lent, Board of Fire Escapes—Edward Greiner, H. B. Grant, Ralph Jones, Sanitary Inspector—Warren Lent, Councillor—H. B. Fitzgerald.

POLLING DISTRICT, NO. 13—TIVERTON

Collector of Rates—George Delaney, Clerk of License—Newman Small, Weigher of Coal and Hay—Byron Blackford, Prevent Cattle Running at Large—Simondson Outhouse, Frank Outhouse, William Delaney, Ralph Tibert, Constables—William Delaney, Edward Blackford, Fence Viewers—Geo. L. Outhouse, Elwood Tibert, Pound Keepers—Rupert Outhouse, St. Clair Canham, Overseers of Poor—Roy Small, Irvin Ruggles, George Cossaboom, Geo. Delaney, Presiding Officer Municipal Election—Auldin Small, Ferry Both Sides Petite Passage—Byron Blackford, Revisor of Electoral Lists—Blanchard Outhouse, Overseers of Highways for Shovel—Snow—Ruel Outhouse, Gorham Elliott, Austin Elliott, Earl Tibert, Assessor—William Cossaboom, Board of Health—Murray Small, E. Outhouse, Elmer Wyman, Police Constables—Ruel Outhouse, James Outhouse, Sheep Valuers—Stephen E. Outhouse, Livingston Sallows, Bridge Keeper—Joel Blackford, Fire Warden—George Cossaboom, Elmer Elliott, Elwood Tibert, Councillor—Delma C. Outhouse.

POLLING DISTRICT, NO. 15—ROSSWAY

Overseers of Highways—No. 1, O. Spiebis; No. 2, Maynard Robit; No. 3, Charles Gidney; No. 4, Guy Haight; No. 5, Loran Banks; No. 6, Calwell Denton; No. 7, Frank Thibault, Pound Keepers—William Walker, Guy Powell, Hugh Robbins, Horace Nichols, Health Warden—Leslie Sabean, Charles Gidney, Oswald Mullen, To Prevent Cattle Running at Large—Noah Baker, Elmer Johnson, George Hutchins, Constables—Frederick Raymond, Watson Lewis, David Banks, Police Constables—Loran Banks, Alpheus Dugas, Guy Denton, Revisors of Electoral List—Charles Robbins, Clerk of License—Clarence Cornwall, Assessor—Charles Theriault, George Murr, Leslie Sabean, To Prevent Gurry Being Thrown into Gulliver's Cove—Kenneth Peters, Byron McDormand, Inspector of Fish—E. Robertson, John M. Wentzell, Inspector of Wood—Guy Denton, Surveyors of Logs—Charles Robbins, Presiding Officer at Municipal Elections—Loran H. Banks, Collector of Taxes—Charles Robit, Assessor—Guy Denton, Sheep Valuers—Caswell Denton, Harry Videto, Leslie Haight, Overseers of Poor—Trueman Wentzell, Frank Thibault, Charles Gidney, Board of Fire Escapes—Joseph Heiler, George Thibault, Councillor—James Robbins.

POLLING DISTRICT, NO. 16—SMITH'S COVE

Presiding Officer Municipal Election—T. O. Morgan, Overseers of Poor—Spurgeon Weir, Herbert Winchester, T. O. Morgan, Clerk of License—A. H. Weir, Inspector of Fish—W. E. Gilliat, Minard Weir, Henry A. Suls, Board of Health—Dr. S. B. McGregoir, A. J. Cornell, W. B. Snow, A. B. Campbell, M. D., Inspector—F. H. M. Wilson, E. B. Weir, Arthur Cornwell, Pound Keepers—George Rice, Spurgeon Weir, George Larramore, Howard Crosby, Carey Morgan, Fence Viewers—G. W. Potter, G. R. Weir, Harry Suls, Keeper Victoria Bridge—Charles Crosby, Surveyors of Wood and Timber—H. H. Suls, Charles Foster, Ralph E. Cossett, To Prevent Cattle Running at Large—H. A. Suls, Atwood Miller, Robert Winchester, Constables and Police Constables—P. S. Smith, Charles Kauback, A. J. Cornwell, Dwight Morgan, A. H. Weir, Overseers of Highways for Shovel—Snow—No. 1, O. T. Woodcock; No. 2, to take effect at once; No. 3, Chas. Crosby, (to take effect at once); No. 3, Edward Tibette; No. 4, Clifford Robbins; No. 5, Willet Crosby; No. 6, Charles Balser, (to take effect at once); No. 7, Stanley Smith, Sheep Valuers—Minard Weir, Wm. Weir, Collector of Rates—P. S. Smith, Assessor—E. R. Thomas, Revisor of Electoral Lists—Ralph E. Cossett, Councillor—Wm. Woodman.

POLLING DISTRICT, NO. 17—CULLODEN

Collector—Charles E. Turnbull, Constables—Oscar VanTassel, Howard Daley, Oscar Roberts, Joseph Condon, Police Constables—Rufus Connor, Klasha Budd, Olive Ross.

FREEPORT

(Held over from last week) Ralph E. Morrell went to Saint John on Thursday, returning via Digby on Saturday. The motor vessel Taggart went to Saint John on Thursday, carrying two carloads of canned fish for Western Canada; also a smaller quantity of bonnet codfish for the Maritime market. The Freeport B. Y. P. U. held a roll call service on Friday evening. On Monday evening the "Live Wires" C. G. I. T. group held their regular meeting after which they participated in a coasting party, followed by hot clam chowder, the latter served at the home of the leader, Ralph Cossaboom was in town last week. Miss Evelyn Finigan went to Tiverton Saturday afternoon, where she visited her sister, Mrs. Murray Smith, returning Sunday. The various firms doing business on the Island were fortunate in getting their necessary quantities of ice for the season stored last week. Not all of the fishing boats have been hauled up—some of the men are still going out when the weather permits.

NEW TUSKET

(Held over from last week) Miss Bessie M. Sabean spent a few days last week with Rev. and Mrs. F. C. Amery, Weymouth North. Miss Queenie Doherty, of Weymouth, N. S., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Sabean. Stanley W. Sabine, who is employed in Bear River, spent the week end at his home here. Miss Jennie Mullen, spent last week at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Stephen Sabean. On Friday evening, January 23rd, a number of young people gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Greene, to celebrate the birthday of Mrs. Ellsworth Greene and Mrs. Herbert Sabine. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Sabine and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Greene and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Mullen and family. A basket social was held in the New Tusket hall on Saturday evening, \$15.45 for realisation. Proceeds are for the New Tusket school.

WEYMOUTH

Assessor—Board of Health—E. O. Hallett, M. D., H. J. Pothier, M. D., H. J. Melanson, M. D., W. G. Blackadar, E. R. Gaudet, A. H. Brooks, Donald Barkhouse, Constables—Fred Johns, Chas. R. McDonald, Manley Wagner, Leger Comeau, Howard Langford, Alfred Cosman (Riverdale), Osborne Smith, Commissioners of Sissiboo River—Douglas Gates, Harold Sabean, Geo. L. Teabo, Clerk of License—W. G. Blackadar, Collector of Rates—Fence Viewers—Deserie Belliveau, John Dahlgren, Louis McDonald, Frank E. Goodwin, Alex. Wagner (Riverdale), Joseph H. Comeau (Southville), Budd Lewis (Danvers), Willis Lovett (Weymouth Falls), William Teabo (Sissiboo Falls), Elmer Jarvis, (Weymouth Falls), Presiding Officer at Municipal Elections—Fred O. Hankinson, Sanitary Inspector—Charles W. Cromwell, Surveyors of Lumber, Timber, Shingles, Wood, Cord, Log, Cedar and Bark—John McCormack, Leger Comeau, Plus Comeau, Geo. Halliwell, Louis LeBlanc, E. R. Gaudet, James Gaudet, Elijah Wagner, Joseph Sabean, Harold Sabean, Robert Bartlett, George Teabo, and O. Hankinson, Edmund Hankinson, Brenton Jones, E. P. Hankinson, Revisor of Electoral Lists—W. G. Blackadar, Overseers of Poor—F. C. Hankinson, Leger Comeau, H. A. Blackadar, To Prevent Cattle Running at Large—Joseph Sabean, (Riverdale), Willis Steele, (Southville), Loran Lewis, (Danvers), Willis Lovett, (Weaver Settlement), Daniel Journeay, James Halliwell, John Deveau, Ernest Teabo, Inspector of Hides—Israel Melanson, Inspectors and Weighers of General Merchandise—R. J. Taylor, C. F. Granville, E. P. Theriault, Inspectors of Fruit—H. A. Blackadar, E. R. Gaudet, and Measure of Coal, Hay, Salt, etc.—Robert Bartlett, J. Scott Hankinson, E. P. Hankinson, Police Constables—Siffrid C. Theriault, Robert Bartlett, Jesse Dahlgren, George L. Teabo, Charles R. McDonald, Sheep Valuers—Samuel LeBlanc, Overseers of Highway for Shovel—Snow—Nos. 1 and 2, Frank E. Goodwin; No. 3, Fred O. Hankinson; No. 4, Clifford McDonald; No. 5, Louis McDonald, (to take effect at once); No. 6, Jesse Dahlgren; No. 7, Walter Comeau; No. 8, Walter LeBlanc; No. 9, Feasley Gates; No. 10, Gerald Sonja; No. 11, Carl Wagner; No. 12, LeRoy Wagner; No. 13, Ernest Teabo; No. 14, George A. Langford, Board of Fire Escapes—H. E. Wagner, A. P. Comeau, Plus Comeau, Councillor—E. P. Hankinson.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

1931 "A" No. 934
IN THE SUPREME COURT
BETWEEN:
A. W. WARNER Plaintiff
and
FRANK JONES (appointed to represent the heirs and persons interested in the estate of Alexander MacDonald, deceased) Defendant.

To Be Sold at Public Auction by the Sheriff of the County of Digby, in front of the Court House at Digby, in the said County of Digby, on
Tuesday, the 3rd day of March A. D. 1931, at twelve o'clock noon, of redemption of the mortgage and sale made herein on the 24th day of January, A. D. 1931, unless before the day appointed for such sale the amount due the Plaintiff herein on the Mortgage sought to be foreclosed, be paid to the Plaintiff or his Solicitor.

All the estate, interest and equity of redemption of the mortgage, in the land and premises, situate, lying and being at Pympton in the County of Digby and bounded as follows: On the North by the Main Post Road; on the East, by lands occupied by Joseph H. Potter and a small piece occupied by the Baptist church; on the South by lands of W. E. Smith and on the West by lands of the late Samuel Milberry; thence along Main Post Road to place of beginning, 178 feet or thereabouts; thence South-easterly 60 feet to the shore; thence together with the buildings, situated thereon and all the easements and appurtenances to the same belonging.

TERMS—Ten per cent. cash deposit at time of sale; balance on delivery of Deed.
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High Sheriff of the County of Digby
FRANK W. NICHOLS
Solicitor for Plaintiff
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The bride entered the chapel on the arm of her father, to the strains of Lohengrin's wedding march, played by Mrs. Elizabeth Chamberlain, organist of the Holy Family Church. The bride party knelt in front of a beautifully decorated and illuminated altar. The bride wore a navy blue coat trimmed with beaver, and hat and shoes to match.

Ignatius and Rodolphe White, brothers of the bride, supported the groom. The marriage ceremony was performed by Reverend Father Lamonde, curate at Holy Family Church, West Bathurst, N. B. Lawrence White, brother of the bride, served on the altar as master of ceremonies and acolyte. Music at the Mass was sung by the members of the "Children of Mary Sodality" and was beautifully rendered.

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Phillips King
Marion Handsaker
Leah Daley
Pamela Gorringer
Arnold Cook
Murray Mount
Lewis Daley
Austin Marshall
Gladys Winchester
Alta O'Neil
Mary Teed
Barbara Syda
Clair Merkle
Digby Everett
Mildred Wright
Carl Melanson
Robert Vidito
Evelyn VanTassel
George Wilson
Victor Lambert
Phillip Woolaver
Lillian Jefferson
John Woolaver
Earle Morrell
Arthur Thomas
Fred Thibault
Avarl Franklin
Robert Everett
Genevieve Savary

Grade 2

Agatha Melanson
Edith Morehouse
June Campbell
Evelyn Hayden
Doris Franklin
Joseph Turnbull
Edna Baxter
Teddy Walker
Violet Barnes
Harold Trask
Frances Dickson
Phyllis Dickie
Robert Beaton
Douglas McKay
Hubert Marshall
John King
Avarl Collins
Phyllis Bowby
Wiley Savary
Dorothy Winchester
Vivian Hayden
Cecil Savary
Asaphene Hazelton
Ella Thibault
Grace Dennison
Marguerite Donnelly
Clifford Ward
Ralph Johnson
Douglas Woolaver
Denneth VanTassel
Lloyd Russell
Reta Ward
Frank Handsaker
Grace Dennison
Walter Vidito

Grade 3

Margaret Purdy
Marie Melanson
Arthur Golden
Audrey Teed
Frank Raymond
Jean Weir
Marie Elsenor
Gordon Baxter
Paul Winchester
Vernon Robicheau
Geraldine Cowan
Jack MacNeill
Eileen Melanson
Ronald VanTassel
Edwin Barnes
Clinton Oliver
Eleanor Baxter
Percy Turnbull
Pauline Thomas
Gerald Amoro
Edward Baxter
Thelma Stark
Carl Saulnier
Wynell Manthorn
Florence Handsaker
Gerald VanTassel
Phyllis Cowan

Grade 4 (A)

Dorothy Wilson
Elizabeth Dennison
Josephine Russell
Geraldine Mulse
Dorothy Robinson
Fern Stark
Arthur Everett
Gertrude VanTassel
Lawrence Savary
Goldie Elsenor
Vernon Wright
Kenneth Raymond
Roy Robinson
Carl Winchester
Vincent Baxter

Grade 4 (B)

Geraldine Syda
William Ganong
Marjorie Holdsworth
Richard Beaton
Sheldon Ellis
Dorothy Rice
Janet Foster
Alice Wilson
Anthony Comeau
Pearle Plimore
Ida Collins
Doris Oliver
Gerald Mulse
Louis Savary
Norman Wright
Helen Baxter
Helen Baxter
Paul Winchester
Lorna MacKinnon
Paul Wilson
Ada Webber
Evelyn Robinson

Grade 5 (A)

Gwendolyn Abramson
Fred Keen
Hilda Wormell
Virginia Turnbull
Ruth McCullough
Mary Ellis
Arnold Trask
Ada Chandler
Helen Melanson
Friederick Abramson
Edith Hazleton
Cora Handsaker
Eric Marshall
Viola VanTassel
Doris Winchester
Helen Hazleton
Edward Teed
Bernard Baxter

Grade 5 (B)

Robert Weir
Claude Franklin
Helen Franklin
Lucille Cormack
Ronald Snow
Louis Theriault
Ronald VanTassel
Della Comeau
Mary Baxter
Hugh Dickie
May DeViller
Helen Saulnier
John Stark
Arthur Handsaker

Grade 6

Maxine Bailey
Audrey Howsworth
Joyce Baxter
Louise Mulse
Mary Hayden
Marjorie Snow
Donald McCullough
Marion Trask
Max Bailey
Lloyd Woolaver
Margaret Raymond
Maxwell Campbell
Dorothy Teed
Milla Amoro
Paul Snow
Harriet Cowan
Willard Donnelly
Harry Haines
Hilda Winchester
Stanley Vidito
Hazel Wilson
Kenneth Donnelly
Arthur Winchester
Rena Tinker

Grade 7

Vera Marshall
Ronald Williams
Margaret Hawkesworth
Edith Germain
Edward Keen
Jennie MacMahon
Doris Webber
Richard Ellis
Rena Frude
Ruby Landry
Mikpah Baxter
Charles Dakin
Harriet Baxter
Harold Hewitt
Robert Mulse
Harry Cowan
Catherine MacIntosh
Delbert Tidd
Ada Turnbull
Barbara Moran
Gordon Mount
Lloyd Mount
Pauline MacLaughlin, absent

Grade 8

Josephine Harlow
Myrna VanTassel
Ralph Wright
Elizabeth Eldridge
Jean Robinson
Edith Snow
Jennie Wright
Theta Winchester
Margaret Syda
Roscoe Handsaker
Gertrude Budrow
Margaret Theriault
Dudley Dickie
Florence Hazleton
Harriet Turnbull
Harold Wilson
Churchill Turnbull
Howard Watkins
Bernice Abramson
Rufus Connor

Grade 9

Harriet Campbell
Louise Barnes
Victor Cardozo
Bernard Trohon
Mildred Oliver
Lorell Winchester
Dorothy Dunn
Leah Morehouse
Alfred Dickie
Evelyn Purdy
Greta Woolaver
Jack Nichols
Hyman Webber
Edna Cummings
Mary Emma
Gertrude Abramson
Robert Robinson
Roy King
Muriel Barnes
Marguerite Baxter

Grade 10

Eric Bent
Verge Winchester
Zella Hight
Edgar Williams
Phyllis Woodman
Muriel Snow
William Sutherland
Florence Keen

The V. O. N. and Its Activities

Please take notice that Miss Edna Wright's for about the next ten days—telephone 30. After that she will again take up her residence at Cozy Cottage.

The supply committee wish to thank Mrs. Driffield, Mrs. Eber Turnbull, Mrs. Ross, Quebec; the Misses Oliver, Mrs. F. W. Holdsworth, Mrs. Lynch, Mrs. G. D. Turnbull, Mrs. F. Markel, Mrs. A. J. Dillon, Mrs. Frank Nichols, Mrs. Ganong, Mrs. Sara Cossabom, Mrs. Victor Turnbull, Mrs. Fritz Dakin, Mrs. Lockward and the Red Cross, Halifax; for contributions of food and clothing for the work of the V. O. N.

The V. O. N. Committee heartily thank Mr. and Mrs. VanBlarcom for the use of "The White Aster" in which such a pleasant Benefit Tea and Pantry Sale was held.

Nurses' Report for January 1931
No. of patients 19
No. of nursing visits 72
No. clinics and classes 5
No. school inspection visits 5
No. home school visits 7
No. child welfare visits 62
No. miscellaneous visits 7
Total No. of visits 158
No. children inspected in schools 155

Narrowly Escapes Serious Injury

On Friday last Henry Lewis, son of Watson Lewis, of Waterford, met with a painful accident. When out rabbit hunting he stepped to speak to a companion, resting his gun, butt downwards, on a log. The gun slipped, striking the hammer against the log and was discharged, the charge ploughing a flesh wound from below the ribs to the shoulder. His escape from more serious injury, was probably due to a heavy wind-breaker that he was wearing and into which the shot appeared to roll up.

Jeffery Dillon 44
Ernest Dakin 42.8
Guy Morehouse 42.3
Reginald Turnbull 39.3
Garnet Taylor 38
Frances McNeill 38
Marjorie Trask 38
Eleanor Wallis 38

Grade 11

Patricia McFhee 82
Alan Wright 81.5
Rena Marshall 79.5
Sidney Smith 75
Mildred Syda 73.5
Clayton Snow 73.4
Hartney Ellis 69
Cecil Currie 65.7
Edith Harvey 64.8
Gerald Rice 53.2
Frank Robinson 51.5
Charlotte Turnbull 51.5
Bernice Roop
Roy Bullis
Louise Vincent

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Personal Mention

Mrs. Stanley Thus has been visiting in Weymouth.
Roy Sypher left this week for a trip to Saint John.

Mrs. G. M. Morrell is visiting friends in Saint John.
Colonel Parsons, of Weymouth, was a visitor in town this week.

Lucien Ratto, of Montreal, is visiting his brother, Renny Ratto.
Ottie L. Morrell has just returned from a business trip to New York.
Mrs. Gibbons, of Togofield, Mass., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. L. Smith, and Mr. Smith.

Reginald Powell, who has been employed here with the Maritime Fish Corporation, has been transferred to Halifax.

F. L. Stroud, of the Drawback Claims Department of the National Revenue, Saint John office, was in town on Monday en route to Yarmouth.
Don Winchester, D. A. R. relief agent, arrived on Saturday to take over the duties of express agent at the local station. W. Ward, who has been filling that position here, left the same day for Kentville.
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Payson and Miss Katherine Weir, of Smith's Cove, entertained at "finch" and "forty-fives" on Tuesday evening, at their home. The prize winners for forty-fives were Miss Beale Porter and Mr. Stephenson, the consolation prize going to Mrs. Stephenson and Mr. Payson. The prize for finch was won by Mrs. Walter Outhouse, the consolation going to Mr. Outhouse.

WATERFORD

Chopping frolics seem to be the order of the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Robicheau, accompanied by the former's mother, Mrs. Charles Robicheau, spent Sunday in Marshalltown.

Mrs. Timothy Robicheau has received word that her daughter, Mrs. Charles Amoro, of Gloucester, Mass., recently underwent a very serious operation in that city. She has no further details.

Mrs. Walter Robicheau, of St. Andrews, N. B., recently visited friends and relatives in this place.

The lobster fishermen are making preparations for lobster fishing.

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5 Cakes P. G. Soap 25c	Ripe Tomatoes
3 Cakes Lux Soap 25c	Raspberry Tarts 1b 15c
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Cood Entertainment at United Church Brotherhood

About fifty sat down to supper at the meeting of the United Church Brotherhood, on Tuesday evening, when the C. G. I. T. girls were the guests of the evening. A good programme was put on, and was much enjoyed. The girls sang several choruses. A reading was given by Miss Ella McCrow. The feature of the entertainment was a camping scene. A camp in the woods, with a camp fire in front, was rigged up on the platform, and round the fire were gathered a group of campers, who sang and joked together while they broiled the fish they had caught. The campers were Arch. J. Dillon, J. J. Wallis, William Turnbull, Ed. Haydon, A. R. Turnbull and Boyd Milberry. A good rousing song-song concluded the evening. The next meeting will be held March 17th, and will take the form of a "Father and Son" banquet. Next Wednesday evening the Brotherhood will pay a visit to the United Church Brotherhood, at Bear River.

Aged Postmaster Celebrates 89th Birthday.

Captain Robert Austin, of Smith's Cove, celebrated his eighty-ninth birthday on Saturday, February 14. He received many congratulations in the form of cards, letters, valentines and other gifts. In the evening a number of relatives gathered to pay their respects and were treated to a piece of his birthday cake, presented by his daughter, Mrs. Geo. R. Weir. The captain assumed the company by doing the "Highland Fling". Capt. Austin is the postmaster at Smith's Cove, and is hale and hearty, and able to do about his duties every day.

CLEMENTSVALE

Mrs. Archie Darroes had the misfortune to cut her foot recently. The C. G. I. T. held a successful Valentine pie sale a few days ago. Mrs. Laura Chute recently left for the West to visit her daughter, Mrs. William Wright. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Elliott left recently for their home in Medicine Hat, after a visit to Mrs. Elliott's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Payne. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sanford are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son.

Trinity Parish Sunday Services

8 a. m.—Holy Communion
11 a. m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon: subject, "Cred in Daily Life."
3 p. m.—Service in Marshallowton
7 p. m.—Evening Prayer and Sermon: subject, "The End and the Way."
There will be an illustrated lecture in the Parish Hall immediately after the evening service.
Lenten services are held in the Parish church on Wednesday and Friday evenings at 7:30 o'clock. Everybody welcome.

Sonnetists Class Social To Be Held Next Week

The monthly social meeting of the Sonnetists Class, of the United Church Sunday School, will be held on Thursday evening next, at the Parsonage.

Another Special Message to the Sick and Shut-In.

(By Rev. C. L. Chute, Little River)
"Glory in tribulations."—Romans 5:3.
And Aunt Sophie says, "g-l-o-r-y spells 'glory,' not 'grow'." David said, "I complained and my spirit was overwhelmed." Of course it was. It never fails. If you want a real siege of Nova Scotia Blues start complaining. Remember, however, that it is a contagious disease and you must be careful lest your friends contract it. It would be awful if the very one who might cheer you should catch the blues. But, of course, I know you really want the joy-bells ringing in your heart, and you can have them, too. Lots of people who are shut in rejoice. "That is a little game with some shut-ins. They glory that are in tribulations and then folks that are up and around are ashamed of being gloomy and sad. Fellows that can swing an axe all day, and eat like bears ought to be ashamed of growling—especially in the presence of you who glory in tribulations."

How are you going to do it? Why, you just give yourself, just as you are, "without one plea," to Jesus, and Jesus, with all His wisdom and strength, and loving compassion, will give Himself to you. When we surrender ourselves, even if we are well and strong, to Jesus, it is not much, is it? But to receive Jesus, just as He is, is "riches unsearchable."

"He that spared not His own Son, but delivered Him up for us all, how shall He not with Him, freely give us all things. All things! A Saviour, a Teacher, a Healer, a Friend, a King coming in glory! Hallelujah!"

Whoever shuts out Jesus is a shut-in, but whoever lets in Jesus is gloriously free! It was said of a certain wheel chair shut-in, "The wheel chair could not keep him down for he knew by blessed experience that 'they that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength, they shall mount up with wings as eagles,' and he wrote

"That discipline is more to be desired than all the ease which keeps us back from Thee."

Deep Brook Dorcas Society Keeps Busy

On Friday last the Dorcas Society, of Deep Brook, held a clam and sauer kraut supper, in the hall, under the direction of Mrs. Howard Adams, assisted by Mrs. Lilla Rice, Mrs. H. S. Vroom and Mrs. W. V. Henshaw, members of the ways and means committee. A large company sat down to well laden tables and enjoyed the good things provided. The officers of the society and the committee in charge appreciated very much the large attendance from Smith's Cove, among them being Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Winchester, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Payson, Mr. and Mrs. Outhouse, Mrs. George Weir, Miss Frances Austin, and Miss Katherine Weir.

Mrs. Augustus Purdy entertained the Dorcas Society on Wednesday, of last week. There were a good number present and final preparations were made for the supper which is reported above. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Montreal Symphony Orchestra On Air



This is the Montreal Symphony Orchestra which will broadcast a Fireside Symphony Hour every Saturday, between 5:30 and 6:30 p.m. E.S.T., starting Saturday, Feb. 21, over the network of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's Telephones from Winnipeg to Halifax. It will play symphony concerts of a very high order and the conductor, Mr. Douglas Clarke, Dean of the Faculty of Music, McGill University, (inset) has drawn up a series of programmes which will be representative of three centuries of music. The programmes will be chronological in character and each will be representative of music written between the 17th, century and the present. They will begin with works or parts of works by Bach, Handel, Haydn or Mozart, continue with Beethoven or Brahms, then go on to Wagner or Tchaikowsky, and conclude with the moderns. English composers will be prominent

in the concerts, including such moderns as Elgar, Holst and Vaughan Williams, while an early English Tudor composer will also be heard. In this way the concerts will be representative of the best in music for the last three centuries, in which the art of composing reached its height, and every listener following the ten programmes already projected, will acquire a knowledge of music which it would take the ordinary concert goer years to get, apart from the enjoyment of listening. The Montreal Symphony orchestra has earned high praise from critics, and its range of subject matter as well as its perfection in technique is remarkably well developed. The concerts will be broadcast from Tudor Hall, in Montreal, and are made possible by the Canadian Pacific Railway.

Rev. L. M. Merritt, Former Digby Boy, Accepts New Charge

Rev. L. Morse Merritt, of the First Baptist church, of Medfield, Mass., has accepted a call from the First Baptist church, at Etna, N. H. Mr. Merritt has been pastor in Medfield for the past four years, and during that time his work has been one of interest and benefit to the parish. Mr. Merritt was born in Digby, in 1903. At the age of 12 weeks his mother took him and his twin brother to Framingham, Mass., where he lived until he was four, moving then to Holliston, Mass. In 1922 at the age of 10, the young student entered Montpelier Seminary and began his study for the ministry. It was while a Freshman at this college that he accepted his first pastorate at the Free Will Baptist church at Shady Hill, Vt. Mr. Merritt tells with a smile that he received \$5.00 a Sunday for this work, and adds that he paid \$2.50 of this for transportation. In the year 1920 having received a diploma from Montpelier Seminary, he accepted the permanent pastorate of the First Baptist church at Medfield. Hardly had the young minister become fairly settled in his new work when the church was badly damaged by fire. This handicap proved to be a blessing in disguise, for the entire church was renovated and re-decorated and a new pipe organ installed.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Merritt wish them success and happiness in their new work.

LOWER GRANVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Covert are visiting in Bridgewater, the guests of Mrs. Covert's brother, Fred. Johnson, and Mrs. Johnson.

G. Edward Shaffner, who has been on the sick list, is improving. Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Shaffner entertained the young folks at a very pleasant party on Monday, of last week.

Miss Primrose Elliott is visiting in Saint John, the guest of her cousins, Mrs. G. G. Hare, and Dr. James Manning.

A. R. Parker and N. C. Wheelock filled their ice houses last week; the ice was thick and of good quality. Miss Grace Karnes, of Moschelle, and Miss Aletha Karnes, of Hampton, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hudson.

Rev. Bishop, who has spent the past winter in Boston, returned to Digby on Tuesday.

Former Bear River Pastor Now In Alberta

Rev. M. L. Gregg continues to meet with success in the pastorate of the Strathcona Church, Edmonton, Alberta. At the recent annual meeting of the church expressions of appreciation of his work were given. The membership has increased to 565 and the Sunday School has an enrolment of 528. During 1930 over \$15,000 had been raised for all purposes. Of this sum about \$2,680 was for missions and benevolences, and \$5,000 for Christian education. Mr. Gregg expects to visit his native province of New Brunswick next summer from the middle of June to the first of August.

Valentine Party In Aid of Church

Marked as one of the jolliest events of the season was the Valentine party held Friday evening last in the I. O. O. F. hall, at Westport. Under the auspices of the Willing Workers. The hall was decorated very beautifully with red and white streamers, intertwined across the ceiling and interspersed with Japanese lanterns. On one side of the hall the candy and ice cream booths were fairly decked in red and white crepe paper, hearts, cupids, etc., while on the opposite side of the hall the home-baking, and fancy work booths were trimmed in the same way. In the center of the hall card tables were arranged for those who wished to play games. Prizes were awarded for various games, the adults being won by C. K. Rogers, W. A. Fugh, and Capt. Donald Barkhouse. The children's prizes were won by Ila Frost, Weldon Glavin and Lawrence Frost. About one hundred were present and the sum of \$45 was realized, which will be used for church purposes.

The President wishes to take this opportunity to thank all those who helped in any way to make the affair a success.

Oil Tanker Doheny In Danish West Indies

The oil tanker William H. Doheny, Captain Frank H. Spurr, of Deep Brook, arrived at Aubl. Danish West Indies yesterday, from New York, and will discharge her next cargo at Baltimore. The veteran master mariner, Captain Frank W. Spurr, who died at Deep Brook last week, was the father of the master of the Doheny.

Rebekah Social Next Monday Evening

Zelma Rebekah Lodge will hold one of its popular bridge and forty-fives social, in the lodge room, next Monday evening. Seated in another column—and be sure to attend.

Gets Maritime Post



C. B. Andrews, recently promoted to the position of District Passenger Agent, Canadian Pacific Railway, at the Maritime Provinces, with headquarters at Saint John, New Brunswick. Mr. Andrews was District Passenger Agent in Winnipeg, Manitoba.

N. S. Organization To Hold Meeting

A proposal to strengthen the Nova Scotia Fish and Game Protective Association by having affiliated with it as many as possible of the local protective associations in the province, will be the chief subject of discussion at the annual meeting of the provincial association to be held in Halifax on Tuesday and Wednesday of next week.

Rev. A. W. L. Smith, of Clements-port, president of the association, will preside at the meetings. He is endeavoring to get the county organizations to take membership in the provincial association. He feels that their support would aid the provincial association and that in turn would be the best body through which the smaller groups could approach the government and deal with the Dominion Association. Delegates from county associations will attend the meetings.

Smith's Cove Matters of Social Interest

Between forty and fifty friends gathered at the home of Mrs. Lena Cossett on Tuesday, for a social evening. Music was rendered by Mrs. O. F. Woodman, and Fred Roop and Albert Corliss, of Acadiaville. Refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. A. Cornwall. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Payson and Miss Katherine Weir entertained at five tables of bridge and forty-fives on Wednesday evening. The prize winners were: Bridge, ladies' high, Mrs. Geo. Wightman; gent's high, Earl Cossaboom; ladies' low, Mrs. Earl Cossaboom; gent's low, Donald Cossaboom. Forty-fives, Mrs. A. D. Sullis, Ralph Cossett, and Frank Weir.

Bear Cat to Undergo Repairs at Meteghan

The motor vessel Bear Cat, in command of Capt. Freeman Anderson, arrived at Yarmouth on Wednesday, and reported inwards from St. George, Bermuda. The vessel had encountered considerable heavy weather and the after section of the craft sustained considerable damage. The mudder is more or less out of commission and the vessel is leaking considerably. In a day or two, following temporary repairs, she will come to Meteghan for permanent repairs, which will be effected by the Meteghan Shipbuilding Company.

The Arleux Will Keep Watch Over the Lobster Fleet

The Canadian government steamer Arleux, Capt. H. P. Cousins, is in port at Yarmouth, where she has been ordered to patrol the waters of Western Nova Scotia, to prevent all possible infringements of the lobster regulations. The season for the lawful catching of lobsters opens in these waters on March 1st, and the Arleux will remain in this vicinity until that date.

C. G. I. T. Girls Bid Farewell to Leader

A surprise party was given for Mrs. Fillmore on Friday last, by the Live Wire C. G. I. T. group. The girls had a table decorated with their colors, and laden with good things. Harriet Turnbull, the president, gave a farewell address, and presented Mrs. Fillmore, on behalf of the group, with a lovely pocket book. Afterwards games were played and a social evening spent. The girls will miss Mrs. Fillmore and they join in wishing her the best of good luck with any group she may in future be connected with.

Enjoyable Party at South Range

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Marshall, of South Range, was the scene of a gay party on Monday evening, when their daughter, Miss Verna, entertained a number of her friends at a Valentine party. Festivities commenced with a "heart and arrow" game, the prize being won by Miss Alice Marshall, for nearest approach. Chafardes followed, with Miss Mary Foster and Miss Alice Marshall as captains. This was followed by a "flower guessing" contest, which was won by Miss Eva Marshall. Refreshments were served in the dining room, which was tastefully decorated in pink and green; the guests found their places by the aid of crepe paper sunbonnet by the aid of the young hostess. The findings resulted as follows: Miss Mary Foster, a life of single blessedness for the coming year; Clarence Hill, coming matrimony; and Leland Marshall, great wealth ahead. The "hidden mysteries" bowl yielded a lot of "fortunes," "Shadow Buff" and crokinole ended the evening's fun, and at midnight the guests departed.

Inquest Will Be Held Tomorrow Afternoon

The inquest on the human remains found near Jackson's Crossing a few weeks ago, will be held tomorrow afternoon, before Coroner Keen. We are informed that an affidavit has been received from Mrs. Rebecca Lord to the effect that the articles found among the bones were the property of her brother, William Tobo, who disappeared in 1912.

Paul Kollins in Another Success

The comedy-drama "Memory's Garden" was presented by an amateur cast, under the direction of Paul Kollins, B. L. L., in the Bijou Dream Theatre, on Tuesday evening. The play was much enjoyed, and like all plays under the direction of Mr. Kollins, was well presented. The proceeds are for St. Patrick's Roman Catholic church.

The Fund Grows Too Slowly

The special fund for the Ravens Hockey Team, is growing altogether too slowly. Last week the Courier acknowledged the receipt of \$7.00. This week only \$1.00 was handed in. The fund now stands as follows:

Previously acknowledged	\$7.00
A Friend	1.00
Total	\$8.00

Mrs. H. M. Warne Will Be Next Week's Hostess

The sewing circle of the Ladies' Hospital Aid was well attended on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. A. Faust. Mrs. H. M. Warne will be the hostess on Wednesday of next week, and a cordial invitation is extended to all to be present.

Dried Fish Being Shipped to Brazilian Ports

The Brazilian markets are again taking considerable supply of Nova Scotia hard dried fish, and on Tuesday, the steamer Yarmouth, from cargo five carloads, or 1,930 eighty-pound packages of fish for transshipment to Boston; took as part shipment to the Brazilian markets. Three carloads were destined for Rio de Janeiro alone, while the other two were billed out to New York for transshipment at that port for different ports in Brazil. Three of the carloads were from Digby, shipped by the Maritime Fish Corporation, and the other two were from Lunenburg firms.

Bridge Party At Sandy Cove

One of the most pleasant social events of the season in Sandy Cove, was a mixed bridge, of four tables, given by Mr. and Mrs. Chipman Saunders, of "Brookside Cottage", on Saturday evening. The rooms were prettily decorated in red and white appropriate for St. Valentine's Day.

The prize winners were: ladies' first, Mrs. Roscoe Foster; ladies' second, Miss Nettie Dakin; gent's first, Hugh Morehouse, and gent's second, Dr. F. E. Rice; a lucky prize, was also won by Hugh Morehouse.

Delicious refreshments, daintily decorated, were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Roscoe Foster. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Foster, Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Rice, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Morehouse, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Sypher, Mrs. Caroline Saunders, Mrs. Alex. MacKay, Mrs. J. R. Morehouse. The out of town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Carl Eldridge, of Digby; Miss Nettie Dakin, of Digby; and Mrs. Bernard Morris, Vancouver, B. C.

Dirky Neck Couple Married in Digby

A very pretty but quiet wedding was solemnized at the Baptist parsonage, on Thursday evening last, at 6:30 o'clock, when Grace Marguerite, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Israel E. Hersey, of Centerville, was united in marriage to Aubrey C. Westcott, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Haddon Westcott, of Waterford. The officiating clergyman was the Rev. F. E. Bishop, pastor of the church. The bride looked charming in a dress of pale blue crepe chiffon, with hat to match. The bridesmaid was Lila M. Hersey, sister-in-law of the bride, wearing a dress of pink crepe chiffon, hat to match. After the ceremony the happy couple drove to the Ocean Gardens, where a dainty lunch was served to the bridal party. Mr. and Mrs. Westcott will reside in Centerville.

Public Building Thoroughly Renovated

During the past two months the public building has been thoroughly renovated from top to bottom and now presents a good appearance. M. C. Denton had the contract and he had a very efficient staff of workmen. At no time during the work was the public inconvenience. The work of the post office clerks went on smoothly and efficiently, and the delivery of the mails was at no time delayed.

Boy Scouts Entertain the Girl Guides

The first Smith's Cove troop of Boy Scouts gave a Valentine party in the Temperance Hall, Friday evening of last week. Their guests were the Girl Guides and a few other friends. The evening was spent in games and confetti. Refreshments were served, and a good time, had by all.

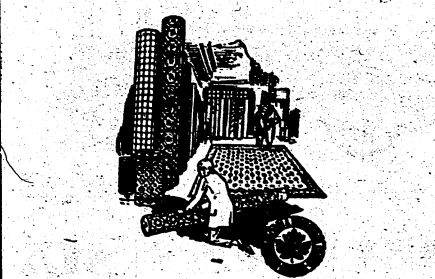
Girl Guides Visit Sick Member

On Saturday, Feb. 14th, Verna Comeau, of Joggin Bridge, enjoyed a visit from the Smith's Cove Group of Girl Guides, who carried her gifts of fruit, jellies etc. The Guides were much pleased to find Verna well on the road to recovery, and left her much cheered by their visit.

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DOES IT PAY TO ADVERTISE?

Does it pay to advertise?
It certainly pays some people very well, those people being the proprietors of certain periodicals of large circulation. Advertising in these papers is a great medium of advertising agencies, commercial artists, photo engravers, etc., who are serving the needs of an ever-growing advertising clientele.

But most of all, advertising must pay the suppliers of all the goods and services advertised, because it is they who are putting up the money and they continue to do it in ever increasing amounts year after year. Since the largest spenders for advertising space include the shrewdest and most successful business men and firms on the continent, there seems to be no question about the investment value of intelligent advertising.

These remarks are prompted by a clipping from the Boston News Bureau which came to our attention a few days ago, quoting the current advertising rates in some of the leading American periodicals. The space rates commanded by some of the principal monthly and weekly magazines are astounding.

The Ladies' Home Journal collects \$8,000.00 for a full page advertisement for a single issue. The Woman's Home Companion tallies along just \$100.00 behind, while the Delicieux places third at \$9,200.00 per page. Pictorial Review and McCall's Magazine each command a price of \$8,000.00 per page, while the Saturday Evening Post, which has the largest circulation of any magazine on this continent, has to be satisfied with a paltry \$8,000.00 per page.

In making comparison, the reader must bear in mind that, other factors being equal, a monthly publication commands a higher space rate than a weekly, and similarly a weekly publication needs and commands a higher rate than a daily. Collier's Weekly will supply a full page at \$5,500.00; True Story will furnish value received at \$4,500.00 per; Liberty facts the list of those quoted at \$4,250.00 per page per issue.

Not only advertising men, but economists, inform us that advertising in its various phases has made possible the rapid commercial development of this century; that is, advertising the advances of science and invention have been made known, thus creating demand which has made possible the great industrial and commercial system with the high standard of living which obtains in North America, as in other continents of the world.

C. P. R.'S ANNUAL REPORT IS A
SPLENDID EXAMPLE

It seems almost uncanny the way the management of the Canadian Pacific Railway, through good years and bad, manages to keep its head well above water and pull out at the end of the season with sufficient net profits to cover all dividend requirements. The past year has surely provided all the excuses necessary for deficits, but along comes the strong year-end finish and the surplus overall of some three or four million dollars. What a commentary on the value of good management.

And after all, this little depression Canada is going through will have failed to teach its lesson if it does not force us all to do better work, more constructive work, more efficient work. Few men operate at maximum efficiency—indeed, few realize their capacity until necessity drives. Good times and easy money encourage relaxation of body and mind alike. No nation could stand an indefinite prosperity. Let us hope that Canadian industry in general will rise to the occasion and endeavor to heart the success of our great private railway system.

Mrs. E. Deveau Is Honored
by Many Friends

A pleasant evening was spent recently at the home of Mrs. Emma Deveau, at Meteghan, when a number of friends and relatives gathered to extend their congratulations on her 44th birthday. Games were played and refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by her sister, Mrs. Walter Deveau. Tea was poured by Mrs. Arthur Robichaud. Among those present were Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Belliveau, Mrs. Theodore Melanson, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Robichaud, Mrs. Julius F. Deveau, Mrs. Howard Deveau, Mrs. Philippe Robichaud, Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. Deveau, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond LeBlanc, of Meteghan, and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Comeau, of Lower Saint-Joville.

ENGLISH AS
WORLD LANGUAGE
LANGUAGE PROPOSED

English, with simplified spelling, is proposed as a new world language by a Swedish professor. He calls the language "Anglic".

Pupils of the professor were able to read, write and converse fluently in English after twenty lessons of 90 minutes each, although they were previously ignorant of English.

Anglic, which is the invention of R. E. Zachrisson, professor of the English language at the Upsala University, Sweden, is a drastic attempt to reach what the Simplified Spelling Society, of England, and the spelling-reform associations of the United States of America, have long worked for. Professor Zachrisson, who is a specialist on early and modern English, points out that Thos. Smith, Queen Elizabeth's chancellor, already in 1580 tried to reform the English spelling and in 1580 Bullocker brought out another spelling programme. Since then about 70 different systems have been worked out. The reason why they all failed was that the reformers wanted to spell English phonetically, thus causing a definite break with old English spelling traditions.

Some months ago the professor started five courses in English based on his spelling system with some groups of Swedish pupils previously ignorant of English. After twenty lessons of 90 minutes each his pupils were able to read, write and converse fluently in English, although their vocabulary was, of course, restricted.

Representatives of the State School Board present at the final examination, expressed their surprise and admiration and it was even found that the pupils used to the new spelling had only small difficulty in reading English spelt in the usual way.

Besides, Lord Cecil, Professor Gilbert Murray, Professor Krapp, and several other prominent men have declared in favor of Anglic, and affiliated societies will in a short time be formed in all civilized countries for the purpose of making Anglic the dominating universal world language.

Here and There

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K. G. MacKay, studio dairy producer for Western Canada, states that Manitoba's creamery butter production in 1930 showed an increase of 24.6 per cent. over 1929.

About 10,000,000 pounds of fish are caught annually in the large and small lakes of the province of Saskatchewan and approximately 1,400 men are employed in the industry.

Aggregate value of field crops grown in Canada in 1930, as officially estimated at \$21,522,000 and total area sown to crops was 62,214,675 acres, an increase over 1929 of about 1,000,000 acres.

In a final estimate of the wheat production of Canada in 1930, the Canadian Government Bureau of Statistics places the total yield at 297,572,000 bushels, an increase of over 2,000,000 bushels compared with the previous estimate.

From end of September 1930 to January 15, 1931, over 26,000,000 pounds of sugar were produced at the best sugar factory at Raymond, Alberta. The industry has grown to substantial proportions in that province of late years.

From Winnipeg a radio fan writes: "I asked Mike if he talked around the offices and warehouses in Winnipeg as though he were a real Canadian Pacific official. The answer is to the Canadian Pacific radio offering on Monday nights across the Dominion.

Vancouver will have a team of fine golfing calibre on the fairways of the Oak Bay course where the third annual mid-winter Empire golf tournament for the E. W. Beatty trophy will be staged February 23-28. Entries are in from Victoria, Seattle, Portland, Tacoma and cities of the prairie provinces.

Grain marketed along the western lines of the Canadian Pacific Railway from August 1 to January 31 amounted to 165,735,000 bushels of which 149,923,000 bushels were wheat. The total marketings of grain along Canadian Pacific lines represent 54 per cent of the total grain marketed in western Canada to that date.

Canada now has more than forty bird sanctuaries specially reserved for bird protection purposes. These are scattered across the country from Nova Scotia to the Columbia. Some of the provincial governments also maintain similar reserved areas for the benefit of native bird life. A census of ten such sanctuaries, not including young birds hatched in 1930, was 109,336 of 16 different species.

Over 97 per cent of the assets of the Canadian Pacific Railway are in Canada, and in drawing attention to this fact some months ago, Mr. E. W. Beatty, Chairman and President of the Company, went on to say that he would be glad to see an increase in the Company's shareholders in this country. Since that time the increase has been most marked, as is shown by the following statement of Canadian Pacific common shares held in Canada now and at the end of the two previous years:

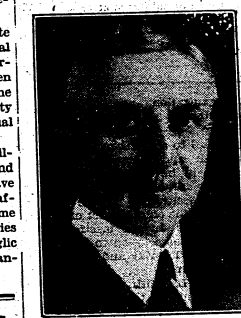
Dec. 31, 1929.....	69,719
Dec. 31, 1930.....	77,848
Dec. 31, 1931.....	81,339
Increase in 1930 years.....	25,235

A GREAT COMPANY'S
DIAMOND JUBILEE

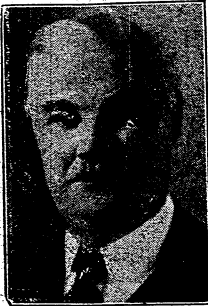
Life assurance has now, apparently, reached such a point in public estimation and confidence that it seems comparatively immune from the ordinary vagaries and fluctuations of other lines of business. The Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada, whose report appears elsewhere in this issue, seems to enjoy this public confidence to an unusual degree, for it reports new policies written during the year to the net amount of over \$700,000,000, the largest in the company's history of sixty years.

This year it celebrates its diamond jubilee. A graphic picture of its progress is shown in the report which discloses, decade by decade, its growth from assurance in force in 1860 of less than \$4,000,000 to over \$2,800,000,000 today; and of an accumulation of assets from less than \$500,000 in 1860 to nearly \$590,000,000 at the present time. Even more striking is the fact that the company has paid to policy holders and beneficiaries since its organization over half a billion dollars—more than its entire assurance in force only ten years ago. This is almost magical and helps to explain the widespread faith of ordinary men in life assurance from the standpoint of investment as well as of family protection.

A most interesting feature of the report relates to the company's investments. The Sun Life has long been a consistent and successful investor in high grade stocks. These securities are valued on the last day of each year by the Canadian department of insurance on the basis of their market price on that day. Such a test this year, needless to say, was a most exciting one. Yet even at the abnormally low prices prevailing at the end of the year the company's common stock holdings, taken by themselves, showed a substantial excess over cost. Moreover, the actual cash dividends paid during 1930 on the total common stocks held by the company in the previous year were nearly \$1,000,000 in excess of the dividends paid on these identical shares in 1929. Such a satisfactory issue from the sharpest and severest market "break" in this generation is a wonderful vindication of the investment sagacity of the company. The rate of 6.44 per cent, earned on the mean invested assets of the company is a further proof of thrifty administration.



ARTHUR B. WOOD
Vice President and Chief Actuary
Sun Life Assurance Co. of Canada



T. B. MACAULAY
President

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The company announced that the profits to policy holders entitled to participate during the ensuing year will be allotted on the same generous scale as has existed for some time, and that the special maturity dividend which has been so popular will also be continued.

THE LIGHTHOUSE AND WHISTLE
ON POINT PRIM

The lighthouse stands upon a point
That overlooks the Bay;
With every flash it says to all
I'm here to show the way.

It stands there like a sentinel,
On duty night and day;
It never tries to shirk its task
And brightly shines away.

To the sailors on old Fundy,
Who are watching for a light,
It must seem like a ray from Heaven
On a dark and stormy night.

And when the fog comes rolling in,
We hear the whistle boom;
It seems to say, "Keep in the Bay,
For there you've lots of room;

"To all who's out there in the fog,
I send my warning notes;
Don't venture too close to the rocks,
In vessels or in boats."

The lighthouse and the whistle,
Standing there so neat and trim;
At the entrance to Digby Gut,
And known as "old Point Prim".
—C. E. Warren

SANDY COVE

Miss Lydia Dakin and Mrs. Warren Crowell gave a very successful Valentine party at Rose Cottage, on Saturday last.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Eldridge, of Digby, spent the week end at the home of Mrs. Eldridge's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Terah Morehouse.

Miss Helena Kelly, of Little River, spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Gidney.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jensen spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gidney, at Mink Cove.

Carman Gidney, of Westport, spent the week end with his parents, at Mink Cove.

The Progressive Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lassaboom, at Lake Midway, last week.

Arthur Marshall, of Bridgetown, spent the week end with friends in this village.

Rev. Mr. Forsythe, of the United church, went to Annapolis on Tuesday last.

Mrs. James Cochran, of Walton, who has been visiting here, returned home on Saturday.

WEYMOUTH NORTH

An item in last week's notes, reading, "The annual business meeting of the Riverside Baptist church was held at the home of Mrs. William Thurber, on Tuesday afternoon," was corrected. The annual business meeting of the Riverside Baptist church was held at the Parsonage on Tuesday evening; and the regular monthly meeting of the W. M. A. S. of the Riverside Baptist church, was held at the home of Mrs. William Thurber, on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. F. C. Amery, Mrs. Sadie Mullen and Miss Ruth Mullen were week end guests at Bayside Farm.

Mrs. Warren Lent entertained the Sewing Circle of the United Church, on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Elliott are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

Mrs. Emmaline Skidmore, Miss Annie Simmonds and little Margaret Ialah Grant are all ill at present.

The Pathfinder C. G. I. T. group met at the parsonage on Friday evening. At the last meeting a study was made of Canadian artists and countries, were studied: Jean Baptiste Camot, Ryssale, Joshua Reynolds, Rosa Bonheur, Jean Francois Millet, Anthony VanDyke and Paul Feil.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. William Nesbitt, which was born on Saturday, the 7th inst., died on the following Monday.

Mrs. R. K. Newcombe, who has been visiting her brother, Charles Hankinson, at Barrington Passage, returned home on Wednesday.

Miss Hilda Hogan, teacher at Gilbert's Cove, spent the week end at her home here.

Miss Whitman, teacher at Ashmore, was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Jones.

The ladies of St. Peter's Guild held a Valentine supper in the Guild Hall on Friday. About \$23 was realized.

Miss Lillian Doty, travelling representative for the Kaizer Company, of Halifax, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Doty.

Rev. L. W. Mosher, of Halifax,



"And don't forget
two packages of
Shredded Wheat"

"There'll be a fuss in our
family if you do! The
children love it; my husband insists on it because
he says it's the perfect food
for health and strength.
And I like it too. So don't
forget to send it, please."



THE CANADIAN SHREDDED WHEAT
COMPANY LTD.

SHREDDED
WHEAT

WITH ALL THE BRAN OF THE WHOLE WHEAT

who has recently accepted a call to this parish, preached in the Anglican churches here on Sunday, returning to Halifax on Monday. Mr. Mosher expects to come here permanently about the first of April.

Mrs. F. B. Sweeney, who has been spending the past month with her daughter, Mrs. Aubrey Butler, in Boston, has returned home.

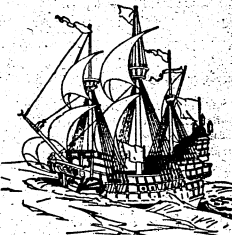


Setting New
Standards of
Dependability

THE longer you drive the new Chevrolet Six the more you will appreciate its ruggedness and reliability. Its increased wheelbase gives added stability and freedom from vibration. The frame and axles have been strengthened. There is a stiffer crankshaft and reinforced cylinder block. The moulded brake linings give as much as 25,000 miles of service without relining.

The new Fisher Bodies are not only smarter and roomier, but are also of hardwood and steel construction... the strongest known. The fine upholstery fabrics are specially selected for unusual durability. The non-tarnishing chrome-plated metal parts, and gleaming colors will retain their beauty indefinitely.

The new Chevrolet Six is built to give you years of faithful service. And it sells at new low prices!

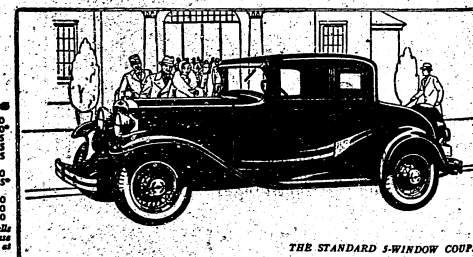


New Low Prices

The Standard Roadster	\$610
The Sport Coupe	\$649
The Standard	\$655
The Standard Sedan	\$669
The Standard Coupe	\$695
The Standard	\$720
The Sport Coupe	\$749
The Standard Sedan	\$760
The Super Sport Roadster	\$760
The Standard Sedan	\$810
The Special Sedan	\$840

*See wire brackets, fenders and trunk lock included on these models at standard equipment at slight extra cost.

All prices include factory, Ontario, taxes, license and delivery. A complete line of Commercial Cars and Trucks from \$400 up.



The NEW
CHEVROLET SIX

DIGBY MOTORS
DIGBY, N. S.

Take Some Hot Biscuits Today!

Use a dozen delicious biscuits this way. Sift together twice, 2 cups Purity Flour, 2 cups baking powder, 1 cup salt. Cream 1 dozen each of butter and lard with the dry ingredients, using the tips of your fingers. Add 1 cup each of milk and of water, mixing with knife until you have a very soft dough. Pat out lightly on mixing board until 1/4-inch thick. Cut out and bake in hot oven 15 minutes.

Biscuits—made with Purity Flour—will keep moist several days and may be re-heated without getting dry.

LICIOUS SAUSAGE ROLLS—can be made from the above dough, but use the shortening. Roll to about 1/4-in. cover sausages and bake 25 minutes or until brown, in hot oven (400°).

PAT FLOPPERS using same dough are extra tasty.

Design Canada Flour Mills Co. Limited
Toronto, Ont.



Look for our Company's name on the Purity Flour sack. It is our guarantee of quality from a responsible milling concern.

A Tribute to the Hardest Worked Merchants in Our Country

Have you ever considered the important part played by the grocer in our daily life?

From early morning and often until late at night the grocer keeps open for your convenience.

Whether you want a cake of soap, a package of tea or a sack of potatoes he is there to serve you—and with a cheerful "thank you."

When sickness or unemployment occurs, it is the big-hearted grocer who supplies the home with the necessities of life and often waits a long time for his money.

For nearly 37 years, the T. H. Estabrooks Company has been distributing millions of pounds of Red Rose Tea and Red Rose Coffee through the grocers of Canada. Our relations with them have been very intimate and very friendly. We, therefore, know something of their difficulties and something of the services they are rendering, which we think deserve recognition and appreciation.

T. H. ESTABROOKS CO. LTD. HEAD OFFICE: SAINT JOHN, N. B.
BRANCHES—MONTREAL TORONTO WINNIPEG PORTLAND, ME. ST. JOHN'S, Nfld.

3 CENT SALE

SPECIAL for the week starting FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 20th. All good, clean stock, included in the list below. Prices quoted are the regular selling price. For three cents you obtain another of the same. As an example, one flashlight costs, complete with batteries, \$1.25; you can buy two for \$1.25.

Line Envelopes, 10 cts. and 15 cts. pkg.
Kid Finish Envelopes, 15 cts. pkg.
Blue Lined Envelopes, 9 cts. pkg.
Letter Pads, 25 cts. each
Note Pads, 10 cts. and 15 cts. each
Pencils, 5 cents each
Exercise Books and Scribbles, 5c. each
Whisks, 25 cts. each
Shaving Soap, 10 cts. cake
Flashlights, complete, \$1.25
Head Neckties, 25 cts. each
Child's Aluminum Mugs, 15 cts. each
Propelling Pencils, 15c. and 75c. each
Comb and Mirror Case, 25 cts. each
Nail Brush, 15 cts. each
Fountain Pen, \$1.50 each
Paddocks, 25 cts. each
Pocket Comb, 25 cts. each
Sissors, 25 cts. each
Alarm Clocks, \$1.75 each
Pipes, 25 cts. each
Bottle of Norel, 50 cts. each
Furniture Polish, 50 cts. bottle

Metal Cigarette Boxes, 75 cts. each
Men's Belts, 25 cts. each
Clothes Brushes, 75 cts. each
Gramophone Needles, 25 cts. box
Colgate's Tooth Paste, 25 cts. tube
Needle Books, 10 cts. each
Bridge Playing Cards, 60 cts. pack
Month's Organs, 25 cts. each
Pocket Knives, 25c., 40c. and 45c. each
Combs, 15 cts. and 25 cts. each
Compact, 25 cts. each
Collar Pins, 25 cts. each
The Clips, 25 cts. each
Toothbrushes, 15 cts. and 25 cts. each
Boxed Stationery, 25 cts. and 75 cts.
Glass Pin Trays, 15 cts. each
Ash Trays, 25 cts. and 35 cts. each
Trump Marker Ash Tray, 50 cts. each
Ash Tray Sets (4), 50 cts. and 75 cts.
Vegetable Brush, handled, 20 cts. each
Table Scrub Brush, 25 cts. each
Book Ends, 50 cts. pair
Assorted Cigarette and Card Cases, 75 cts. and \$1.25

These goods have been specially procured for the sale and quantities are limited.

As an additional offer we include in this sale all patterns of Wall Paper now in stock, except Varnished Tiles and Harmonellas. One roll at the regular price and one for 3 cents; one yard border for the regular price and one for three cents—Example: 8 rolls of 20-cent paper, and 16 yards of 5-cent border would cost you only \$1.56. You save 84 cents.

CONNELL'S CASH STORE

BELLIVEAU'S COVE

A. A. Theriault, of the Hinkinson Shipping Company, has received word of the loss of the schooner Leo LeBlanc, on Turk's Island. Captain Burke and crew are reported safe. The vessel was loaded with salt and was coming to Yarmouth.

Mrs. Chloé Comeau, an aged and respected resident of this place, is seriously ill.

Wilfred Belliveau, of the firm of B. Belliveau & Co., has been confined to his home with the grippe for the past week.

Miss Catherine Theriault has returned from Boston, where she has spent some time visiting relatives.

Louis Theriault, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Theriault, is ill with scarlet fever at Ste. Anne's College, Church Point.

Miss Clara Belliveau, former teacher here, has entered a private hospital in Staten Island, New York, and is training for nurse.

Repairs on the schooner Souvenir are making good progress. Auguste Gaudet is in charge.

SCOUT NEWS



Come On Out!

The last scout meeting opened with the horseshoe.

After the opening various matters were discussed, among them being the invitation of the Bear River troop to visit them.

The meeting was well attended and quite a lot of work was accomplished. There was also a good attendance at the cub meeting which was held first. The next cub meeting will be held tomorrow, at 4:30 o'clock, instead of today.

J. H. Churchill Dead
After Long Illness

The death of J. H. Churchill took place at his home, Westport, on Monday night of last week. He leaves a sorrowing wife to mourn the loss of a kind and affectionate husband. Mr. Churchill had been in failing health for some months, and his death was not unexpected. He was a native of Sandford, Yarmouth County, but moved to Westport many years ago. He was a member of the Baptist Church and of Junia Lodge, I. O. O. F. The funeral took place from his late home in Westport, Thursday afternoon, the service being conducted by Rev. H. H. Phinney, pastor of the Westport Baptist Church. A large number of the officers and members of Junia Lodge attended the funeral. Sympathy is extended to the bereaved ones.

Here and There

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The Nova Scotia fish catch for December last was 12,161,600 lbs., having a landed value of \$266,111, as compared with a catch of 10,480,700 lbs. with a value of \$225,551 for the corresponding month of the previous year.

Total amount of capital invested in Canada from other countries as at the end of 1930 was \$2,375,533,000, an increase of \$223,000,000 as compared with the total at the end of 1929. Of this outside investment, 61 per cent is said to be from the United States; 25 per cent British; and 4 per cent from other countries.

The yield of potatoes in Canada in 1930 totalled 81,933,333 bushels, from 574,500 acres, an average yield of about 142 bushels per acre. In 1929 the yield was 66,550,000 bushels from 543,727 acres, or an average yield of 122 bushels per acre. Potatoes are grown successfully in commercial quantities in every province of the Dominion.

The Canadian Pacific Railway has announced placing of orders with the Algoma Steel Company of Sault Ste. Marie for 30,000 tons of 130 lbs steel rail for spring delivery, representing a value of approximately \$1,500,000. This unusually heavy rail will be laid on 150 miles of the company's main line in the Mountain Division of British Columbia.

Prescott, Ont., Canada's newest national port, is rapidly approaching completion. The \$5,500,000 terminal which the Canadian Government is building there as a turning point for the Upper Great Lakes grain route when they come down through the Welland Canal in the spring of this year will be ready for traffic in advance.

Canoing history was made at Quebec recently when the seven Lavoie brothers piloted their craft over the ice-flooded waters of the St. Lawrence between Quebec and Lévis in the remarkable time of 9 minutes, 43 seconds, and took first place in the canoe race which was one of the features of the Quebec Winter sports season with headquarters at the Chateau Frontenac.

"Melody Mike" Canadian Pacific Railway radio feature given every Monday night, is not only attracting wide popularity in Canada; the United States also. It is the railway's radio department recently had a letter from a school teacher in Angola, New York state, asking for 50 copies of Melody Mike's favorite Irish songs, for distribution among her pupils.

In 1930 the Dominion's gold production was valued at \$43,000,000, an increase of \$2,000,000 over 1929. The capital investment in the mining industry in Canada at the end of 1929, the last year for which complete industrial statistics are as yet available, amounted to \$50,000,000. In that year the industry gave employment to 95,000 men and paid out in salaries and wages \$125,000,000.

The establishment of a \$75,000 marine test for handling grain at the Ocean Terminals is one part of the programme for the development of the Port of Halifax recommended by the Federal Government recently by the Halifax Board of Harbor Commissioners. This addition, in the opinion of the chairman of the Commission, would attract more shippers and vessels to the port, and would save in one year an amount equal to the cost of the equipment.

Subscribe for the Weekly Courier

Magnesia Best for Your Indigestion

Warns Against Doping Stomach With Artificial Digestants

Most people who suffer, either occasionally or chronically from sourness and indigestion, have now discontinued disagreeable diets, patent foods and the use of harmful drugs, stomach tonics, medicines and artificial digestants, and instead take a teaspoonful or four tablets of Bisurated Magnesia in a little water after meals with the result that their stomachs no longer troubles them, they are able to eat as they please and they enjoy much better health. Those who use Bisurated Magnesia never dread the approach of meal time because they know this wonderful anti-acid and food corrective, which can be obtained from any good drug store, will instantly neutralize the stomach acidity, sweeten the stomach, prevent food fermentation, and make digestion easy. Try this plan yourself, but be certain to get Bisurated Magnesia especially prepared for stomach use.

NEW TUSKET

F. F. Hurlburt, of Kempville, spent a few days recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Sabean, Blanchard Nickerson of Argyle, spent a few days recently with his friend, Miss Bessie Mullen.

Willard Porter and Vincent Wagner, of Boston, Mass., spent a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Nichols.

A number of young people motored to Weymouth Falls on Monday evening to attend the Valentine concert given in the Baptist Church. The concert was very much enjoyed by all.

Fire was discovered in the home of Burton Nichols on Monday. The alarm was given and men rushed to their aid and the fire was extinguished before much damage was done.

A Basket Social was held in the New Tusket Hall on Friday evening. The proceeds, amounting to \$36.30, are to be used by the Havelock school to purchase a chemical outfit.

WESTPORT

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Bowers are spending a few weeks in Boston. Mrs. Percy Peters and baby are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Campbell, at Freeport.

Mr. and Mrs. William Howard, of Tiverton, spent a few days with Mrs. J. H. Churchill, being called here by the death of Mrs. Churchill's husband.

Capt. L. F. Barkhouse was a passenger to Meteston on Saturday. Clifford Pickles, of Yarmouth, spent a few days last week the guest of Austin Garon, returning home on Thursday.

A shoe buckle which originally belonged to Mary, Queen of Scots, was worn by Miss Elizabeth MacKellar at her wedding in Sherwood church, Paisley, Scotland, recently. The buckle has long been an heirloom in the bride's family. The groom was Charles Steel, descendant of Steel, the famous Covenanter.

LITTLE RIVER

Mr. and Mrs. Mendell Frost gave a reception on Thursday, in honour of their daughter, Audrey, who was married to Edgar Merritt, of Mink Cove, at Grand Manan, a few weeks ago.

The Misses Pearl Frost and Margaret Kelley have returned from Kentville.

The yearly business meeting of the Philathea Class was held with the vice-president, Mr. Martha Denton, last week. After the business was over a social time was enjoyed, during which refreshments were served.

Herman McIsaac, of Parrsboro, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Darrell Cheney.

The W. M. A. S. met at the home of Mrs. Lyndon Collins, on Tuesday. A successful Valentine Social for the children of the Sunday School took place a day or two ago. It was largely attended and a good program was rendered.

Dorothy Denton has returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Carl Small, at East Ferry.

Hugh Collins has returned from a visit to relatives at Westport. Lawrence Trask, of Greenwich, is spending the winter with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Trask.

First Anniversary of the Big Storm

Last Monday was the first anniversary of the big storm which played havoc with the Tiverton waterfront and did an immense amount of damage on the Neck and Islands.

KEMPTVILLE

Mrs. Dora Nickerson spent the week end in Yarmouth, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Thurston, Alma Street.

Miss Atlanta Clarke spent the week end at Sand Beach, the guest of Miss Eleanor Hopton.

Mrs. Gerald Grey, of Plymouth, is visiting her father, A. M. Gates.

Lloyd Ring, who is employed at Carleton, spent the week end at his home here. Winston Hurlburt, who is also employed there, spent Sunday here.

A sleighing party from Carleton enjoyed a dance at the hotel here on Monday evening of last week.

The ladies of the Women's Institute held a successful entertainment at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. and ice cream social in Coronation Hall, on Friday evening last. The proceeds are to be used for Institute work.

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Sargon a Great Stride Forward Declares Nurse

"From my own personal experience taking Sargon, as well as from my experience as a nurse, I believe



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this remarkable new compound to be a great stride forward in medicine," declared Mrs. Bertha Gibbs, 339, 59th Ave., E., Vancouver. "I was in bed three weeks with jaundice. I had terrible pains in my stomach and back. I'd be unable to retain any food and had such a smothering feeling at times I'd have to walk the floor for breath. I was so badly constipated that laxatives didn't have any effect that I had to resort to enemas.

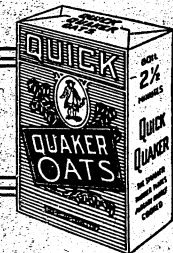
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1 cup butter
1 cup sugar
1 cup milk
9 eggs
1 1/2 cups flour
1 1/2 cups almonds, blanched
and cut in pieces

Mix ingredients in order given, and bake in individual cake pans or small paper containers, as shown in the illustration.

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CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Chipman Harris and family wish to express their appreciation of the sympathy and kindness extended to them during the illness of husband and father.

SCOUT NOTES

At the meeting on Thursday of last week, it was announced that the Digby Troop had accepted the invitation to be with the Bear River Troop at their regular meeting the following week. A full account of this gathering will be given later.

Watson Peck was appointed Patrol Second of the Peeblits to succeed Clayton Hirtle. Clayton has been with the troop over three years and was one of the charter members when it was reorganized in 1927.

At the close of the Horseshoe a general practice in hand signals and troop formations was held, followed by light refreshments.

There was also a short session of bench work at picture framing in which a number of the troop participated.

The Peeblits were named as winners of the quarterly Patrol Competition.



From Mother of Six

"I think Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is wonderful! I have had six children of which four are living and my youngest is a bonnie baby boy now eight months old, who weighs 23 pounds. I have taken your medicine before each of them was born and have certainly received great benefit from it. I urge my friends to take it as I am sure they will receive the same help I did."

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Local and Personal

Wendell Chute returned to Boston on Friday.

Miss E. Saunders left on Friday for Wolfville.

Principal Brown spent the week-end at Liverpool.

Don't forget the Institute Pantry sale, in aid of the school library.

Mrs. Boyd Rice entertained the ladies of the Baptist circle on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Butler returned from a month's trip spent at New York and Montreal.

Saint John's Guild met at the home of Mrs. Harold Hatheway on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. George Cox, who has been the guest of Mrs. R. A. Harris, left on Friday for Halifax.

The Philathea Class met on Thursday evening with Mrs. W. W. Clarke (instead of last week).

A. E. McKenzie, representing G. E. Barbour & Co., of Saint John, was in town on Monday.

Mrs. B. C. Clarke recently spent a few days at Deep Brook the guest of her mother, Mrs. Sullivan.

Mrs. W. P. Brinton entertained at the tea hour on Friday last. Bridge was played in the evening.

Be sure to remember the Pantry sale tomorrow afternoon, in aid of the Oakdene School library.

The Ladies' Aid of the United Church, met on Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. George Kennedy.

Rev. F. W. Sawdon left on Tuesday to attend the Annapolis Presbyterian meeting at Annapolis Royal.

All the women of the different churches are meeting this afternoon in the United Church vestry, for the World's Day of Prayer.

Mrs. Frank Jones and Mrs. W. M. Romans arrived from Amherst on Monday and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Anthony.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Jefferson went to Annapolis Royal last Friday to attend the Valentine dance given by the Canadian Legion and the I. O. O. E.

Mrs. A. M. Simons entertained the "Contract Club" on Friday afternoon of last week. The closing meeting of the club before Lent, was held on Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. B. Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Harris entertained at a Valentine Bridge of three tables, on Friday evening last, the prize winners being Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cunningham, Mrs. Carrol Clarke, and A. B. Marshall.

Mrs. Fred R. Harris and Mrs. A. B. Marshall will serve at a benefit afternoon tea, at the home of Mrs. F. Harris, on Wednesday afternoon. Tea will be served at 4 o'clock, price 25 cents. In aid of W. M. S. Work.

John C. Harris, who arrived on Friday to attend the funeral of his father, Chipman Harris, returned to Exton via Saint John, on Monday.

Clarence Harris, of Auburn, Mass., left on Tuesday for Boston, via Yarmouth. Miss Mabel Harris will remain with her mother for several weeks.

VALENTINE TEA AND SOCIAL

The Cross Road school at Bear River, held a Valentine tea and social on Friday afternoon of last week, in the school room. The room was decorated very prettily for the occasion. The teacher, Miss Gertrude Harrow, is very much interested in the library, and the proceeds from the social went to help replenish the library.



Worth going after

How easy to make GOOD tea!

Draw fresh water and bring to a brisk boil quickly as possible. Boil out and heat the teapot with a little of the boiling water. Empty teapot and put in one small teaspoonful of King Cole Tea for each person to be served. Pour on boiling water, but be sure it is boiling briskly. This is most important. You cannot make good tea unless water is really boiling fast. Allow tea to steep at least five minutes before pouring, but never put teapot where the tea could boil. Simple, isn't it? And if you faithfully observe the rules, you can have delicious tea every time. Use, preferably, an earthen or crockery teapot—it is the best tea maker.

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PORT WADE

Archie McGrath spent a few days in Halifax recently.

Wilfred Kendall, of Saint John, arrived here on Monday for a short visit with his father, A. B. Kendall.

Mrs. Jane Milbury, of Hillsburn, is visiting her granddaughter, Mrs. Earle Casey.

Mildred Carty entertained a number of her little friends at a birthday party, on Monday afternoon.

Word was received on Friday last that L. C. H. S. Hartlen, student pastor of the Lower Granville United Baptist church, was ill with flu at the hospital in Wolfville. His Sunday appointments had to be cancelled as a result.

Miss Etta Mussells spent a few days recently at Granville Ferry, the guest of her sister, Mrs. K. L. Oliver.

The scallop and lobster fishermen report a small catch this season. The price of these products is lower than it usually is at this time of the year.

A number of the young people enjoyed a sleighing party on Friday evening last. The fine condition of the roads, with perfect weather, combined to make it a very enjoyable affair.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Shaffner, at Lower Granville, a supper was provided, while music, games and dancing completed a pleasant evening.

Baptist Church Holds Roll Call Service

The annual roll call of the United Baptist church, of Smith's Cove, was held Thursday evening last. Rev. F. E. Bishop, of Digby, was the visiting clergyman, and preached a very able sermon. Special music was rendered by the choir. A free will offering was taken which was close to one hundred dollars.

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SMITH'S COVE

A number from here attended the "kraut" supper at Deep Brook, Friday evening last.

Mrs. T. O. Morgan is on the sick list.

Little Jean Adams entertained a number of her little friends at a birthday party recently.

Miss Lillian Adams is visiting relatives in Conway.

Mrs. Chester Beals and little daughter, Mildred, of Berwick, were week-end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Weir.

Thomas Cumming, who has been quite ill, is much improved.

Miss Mary Walker, of Digby, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred McHugh.

Miss Vera McHugh has returned from Digby, where she has been visiting friends.

Rev. F. E. and Mrs. Bishop, of Digby, were in the village Thursday of last week, attending the Roll Call in the United Baptist Church.

Parke Kempton and son, Edwin, have finished drilling a well for Donald Cossaboom, and returned to their home in Maitland Bridge, Tuesday.

Mrs. E. B. Taylor has returned from Halifax.

Miss Blanche Morgan, of Digby, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. B. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephenson entertained at two tables of forty-five at their home on Monday evening.

European women who keep up with the fashion, are adopting a new pet. It is the African lion dog, and its popularity may outshine that of the Alsatian. Though only the size of an Airleide, it is so plucky it will attack a lion. Down the middle of its back runs a curious ridge of hair, giving the animal a sporting appearance.

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OBITUARY

CLARENCE HENSHAW'S FUNERAL

The funeral of the late Clarence Henshaw, who was accidentally killed on Monday, Feb. 9, took place on Thursday afternoon. Rev. A. A. MacLeod, of the Baptist Church, taking the service, assisted by Rev. C. P. Henderson, of the Advent Church.

The mill of H. T. Warne in Digby, where Mr. Henshaw had been employed, where he met his death, closed down to allow 50 of the employees with Mr. Hubert Warne and Miss Dora Warne, to attend the funeral.

The flowers were most beautiful, among which were large wreaths being sent by the Canadian Legion and the employees of H. T. Warne. Six soldiers in uniform, acted as pall-bearers.

The choir of the Baptist and United Churches were in attendance and a duet sung by Mrs. Harry Harris and Mrs. Lloyd Sanford.

Interment took place in Mount Hope Cemetery.

STEPHEN CHIPMAN HARRIS

The passing of Stephen Chipman Harris on Wednesday, of last week, removed from Bear River one of its oldest, best known, and most respected citizens. Born here eighty-five years ago, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Harris, he was the direct descendant of John Harris, Loyalist, who came to Annapolis County about 1765, many of whose family held military and civic offices under the British Government.

The late Mr. Harris was for years a prosperous farmer, retiring in late life, and occupying a residence in town. He was the oldest living member of the Bear River United Baptist Church, and his consistent Christian life and affable disposition, created friends for him in every walk of life. Surviving him are his wife, (nee Annie Troop), two daughters, Mabel, of Watertown, Mass.; Mrs. J. L. Warren, of Bear River; two sons, Clarence, of Auburn, Mass.; and John, of Milton, Mass.; and one sister, Miss Emma Harris, of Charlestown, Mass.

An impressive funeral service was conducted in the Baptist church on Saturday afternoon, by Rev. A. A. MacLeod, pastor of that church, and his body was laid to rest in Mt. Hope cemetery.

RECEPTION

Mrs. Harold Hatheway was "at home" to friends for the first time since coming to Bear River from Ottawa, on Tuesday afternoon, from four to six o'clock. Mrs. Hatheway, who received in the attractive drawing room of her home, looked most charming in a gown of flowered georgette, and was assisted in receiving by Mrs. H. C. Anthony. Tea was poured in the dining room by Mrs. W. M. Romans and Mrs. A. B. Campbell, who were assisted in serving by Mrs. Wilson Jefferson and Miss B. Anthony. Mr. and Mrs. Hatheway, Pat and Harold, Jr., are being most warmly welcomed back to Bear River, they having spent two years here, six years ago, since which time they have lived in Montreal and Ottawa. They have purchased the Ray property, formerly occupied by Vernon Peck, and have made many alterations and improvements.

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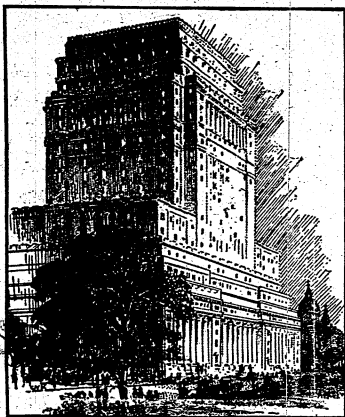
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SIX DECADES

ASSURANCES

IN FORCE

1880
\$3,907,000
1890
\$16,759,000
1900
\$57,980,000
1910
\$143,549,000
1920
\$486,641,000
1930
\$2,863,701,000



Head Office Building, Montreal

SIX DECADES

ASSETS

1880
\$473,000
1890
\$2,473,000
1900
\$10,486,000
1910
\$38,164,000
1920
\$114,839,000
1930
\$588,733,000

SIXTY YEARS OF PROGRESS

STATEMENT FOR 1930 - NOTES FROM DIRECTORS' REPORT

NEW ASSURANCES

PAID FOR (net) - \$705,678,000

ASSURANCES IN

FORCE (net) - \$2,863,701,000

TOTAL INCOME

(net) - \$186,662,000

PAYMENTS TO POLICYHOLDERS

AND BENEFICIARIES

IN 1930 - \$81,274,000

PAYMENTS TO POLICYHOLDERS

AND BENEFICIARIES SINCE

ORGANIZATION \$500,949,000

TOTAL LIABILITIES \$552,201,000

(including paid up Capital Stock)

SURPLUS AND CONTINGENCY

RESERVE - \$36,532,000

ASSETS, AT DECEMBER

31st, 1930 - \$588,733,000

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The number of policies and group assurance certificates outstanding passed the million mark during the year.

The total net income shows an increase of \$13,804,344.54.

The total payments to policyholders and beneficiaries since organization... equal the total assurances in force in the Company's fiftieth year (ten years ago).

The mortality among our policyholders has been highly favourable.

The rate of interest earned on the mean invested assets was 6.44 per cent.

Profits paid to policyholders during the year amounted to \$25,641,231.04.

In a year of almost unprecedented business depression the outstanding quality of the investments has been strikingly shown. The actual cash dividends received on the total common stocks held by the Company were \$969,103.84 in excess of the dividends payable on those identical shares in 1929. ... Even on the basis of the low prices at the close of the year our common stock holdings show a substantial excess of market value over cost.

Profits to policyholders entitled to participate during the ensuing year will be again allocated on the scale at present in operation.

The special Maturity Dividend is also continued on the basis announced last year.

Interesting Links in Canada's History

An Indian tomb, probably the last of its kind that will ever be found in Canada, has been received from British Columbia, and will be added to the collection of almost priceless Indian relics in the National Museum at Ottawa. The tomb is the work of some member of the Musqueam, a tribe of which only some 50 remain. It is regarded as the best known example of the art of the Coast Salish Indians.

The discovery was made on the north shore of the Fraser River near Vancouver by Harlan L. Smith, Dominion anthropologist, and was brought to the National Museum through the co-operation of the Department of Indian Affairs.

Elaborately carved, the relic takes the form of a wooden sepulchre mounted on a boat-like platform about eight feet in length. When found, the upper part of the tomb, which is shaped like a large box, contained bones which were interred before bringing the relic to Ottawa. Mr. Smith believes the sepulchre contained two bodies, probably those of a chief of high rank, and his wife.

While the base shows considerable decoration, the most striking feature is the carving of a group of four small animals on one side. The animals are "skumudegona" - mythological sea otters. The carving was made from a solid piece of cedar about 18 inches thick and about three feet square, and was probably hewn out with an adze. The animals, each the size of a small dog, are life-like in pose and sculptured in considerable detail. From the conventional grouping and the sophisticated quality of the art, anthropologists believe the work shows the white man's influence. The state of preservation indicates the tomb is about 75 years old.

The use of the mythological creature as a decorative feature of the sepulchre is taken to be founded on some legend attached to the Indian brave for whom the structure was built. Experts in the lore of the red men explain that an Indian might claim to have been assisted on some hazardous exploit by such a creature. It would then become associated with him as his "totem" or guardian spirit and would be developed as a sort of crest.

Only one other example of this type of totem is known. It is also in the possession of the museum at Ottawa. The recent acquisition will be placed on exhibition in a few weeks time, after the wood is treated with chemicals to prevent further deterioration.

SALVATION ARMY

The services on Saturday, Sunday and Monday will be conducted by Brigadier Tilley, of Halifax.

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COUGH!
A most effective method of treating coughs, colds, sore throats and bronchitis is to let a Peps tablet dissolve in the mouth. Cooling, healing fumes are released, which are breathed down the air passages, loosening the phlegm in the throat, stopping the racking cough and clearing the bronchial tubes.

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Dramatic Soprano, will know musically in Toronto and Western Canada, who will be soloist with the Canadian National Railway's All-Canada Symphony Hour, February 2nd. Mrs. Davies was for several years soprano soloist with the National Chorus of Toronto and in the early years of the Toronto Symphony Orchestra acted as soloist with them. Her home is now in Saskatoon, Sask.

TAKING WHEAT

IN LIEU OF CASH

Plan Sponsored by Wrigley's May Be Adopted by Others

Many concerns interested in business from the Prairie Provinces are considering the adoption of the Wrigley plan, states Allan Ross president of Wrigley's.

His statement that Wrigley's have been successful in holding and increasing their business by taking the amount of current sales in wheat has not only shown a good will and friendly interest to the West, but has encouraged manufacturers and bankers to a more liberal view of the credit strength of the distributors (jobbers and retailers) and consumers in the Prairie Provinces.

Mr. Ross regards wheat as a staple whose depressed value is not likely to long continue and which offers good security in exchange for the merchandise of the East.

Many of the eastern manufacturers who have made enquiries verbally and by letter are very complimentary toward the plan and three of them seem likely to announce their adoption of it within the next few weeks as a means of helping the revival of business in the West.

FREEPORT

(Held over from last week)
Miss Mary Teed has gone to Oxford, where she will visit her sister, Miss Marguerite Teed, who is teaching there.

Blanchard Morrell left on Monday last for Saint John, where he has business to attend to for a few days. Bad colds are prevalent in the town now.

Miss Margaret Weir entertained the "Live Wires" C. G. I. T. group on Monday evening.

Mrs. F. S. Lent was suddenly called away Saturday on a sorrowful mission to Middleton, where Harold Ray, her son-in-law, had died the day before.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Higgins on the birth of a son, February 4th.

Mrs. Meindel Bates went on Monday to Saint John, to undergo an operation for appendicitis.

The W. M. A. S. met at the home of Mrs. F. S. Lent, on Tuesday of last week.

RIVERDALE

Mrs. Lloyd Fulton and daughter, June, spent last week in New Tusket, visiting relatives and friends. Clarence Mullen of Danvers, called on friends here one day last week.

The ladies of this place were entertained at the home of Mrs. Harold Sabine to a quilting party on Thursday afternoon of last week. Vincent Wagner, of Wollaston, Mass., visited his uncle, LeRoy Wagner, recently.

Georgie Burgoyne left on Friday for Westport for an indefinite time. The young folks of this place enjoyed good skating one evening last week.

A Dr. Richard Shuckburg, a British army surgeon, stationed at Fort Crailo, near Albany, N. Y., in 1758, wrote the words of "Yankee Doodle" inspired by seeing the nondescript costumes of American soldiers.

WEATHER MEN

Are the winters getting warmer and shorter, as they say? If so when do we get the last? That we still put away? And if, as some people argue, We never get much snow, What's all this stuff that drifts around? And ties up traffic so?

You'll hear one tell of winters Some forty years ago, When houses were all buried Beneath the piles of snow, And traffic never turned a wheel Till some time in the spring; And lakes froze clear to bottom, And Winter then was King.

Another one will tell how he When still a little lad, Picked roses in December, And claimed that on his father's farm Strawberries grew in May. And you needn't wear a topcoat Save on a rainy day.

So you see they keep us guessing And we don't know what to say; But we still have faith in Winter To keep coming our way. So these tales of Winter long ago, Conflicting as they are, Lead us to the conclusion That they haven't changed by far.

-G. J. P.

TIVERTON

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Boushie, of Freeport, were the Sunday guests of Mrs. Boushie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen E. Outhouse.

A large number attended the play "Sewing for the Heavens" at Central Grove, on Friday evening of last week, which was much enjoyed by all.

Little Jane Laugher, of Freeport, is spending a few weeks with her aunt, Mrs. Earle Leeman, at Boar's Head.

Mrs. Edward Boushie, Mrs. Roy Small and Mrs. Ruel Outhouse attended the snipping party at Freeport on Thursday evening.

Watson Outhouse has returned home from Saint John.

William Howard attended the funeral of his brother-in-law, the late John Churchill, at Westport, last week.

John Titus, of Freeport, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Linwood Perry, Sealpost, Nova Scotia.

Scalloped, Freda and Blanche, Capt. Gupill, Grand Manan, is in port.

Ralph Cossaboom, of Gulliver's



Advice to Mothers

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BETWEEN:

A. W. WARNER Plaintiff

and

FRANK JONES (appointed to represent the heirs and persons interested in the estate of Alexander MacDonald, deceased) Defendant

To Be Sold at Public Auction by the Sheriff of the County of Digby, in front of the Court House at Digby, in the said County of Digby, on

Tuesday, the 3rd day of March A. D. 1931, at twelve o'clock noon, pursuant to an Order of Foreclosure and Sale made herein on the 24th day of January, A. D. 1931, unless before the day appointed for such sale the amount due the Plaintiff herein on the Mortgage sought to be foreclosed, be paid to the Plaintiff or his Solicitor.

All the estate, interest and equity, of redemption of the mortgage in the land and premises situate, lying and being at Plympton in the County of Digby and bounded as follows: On the North by the Main Post Road; on the East by lands occupied by Joseph H. Potter and a small piece occupied by the Baptist church; on the South by lands of W. K. Smith and on the West by lands of the late Samuel Milberry; place along Main Post Road to place at beginning, 178 feet or thereabouts; thence South-easterly 677 feet or thereabouts; to the corner with the buildings situate thereon and all the easements and appurtenances to the same belonging.

TERMS:—Ten per cent. cash deposit at time of sale, balance on delivery of Deed.

HERBERT B. BISHOP
High Sheriff of the County of Digby

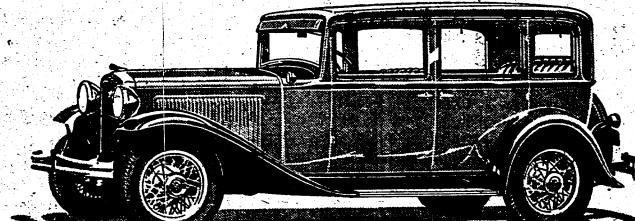
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Motor Vessel Is Under Seizure

Acting under instructions from Ottawa, Captain E. R. Nickerson, chief preventive officer for the Yarmouth district, left Yarmouth on Friday for Meteghan, where he placed under seizure the motor vessel Bearcat.

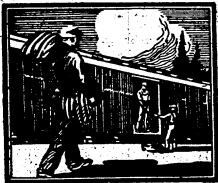
The Bearcat, which is owned by Yarmouth parties, has been engaged in trade out of St. Pierre, St. John's, Nfld., and Bermuda, during the past season, and only arrived at Yarmouth last Wednesday from Bermuda, in ballast, after receiving heavy weather damage, which necessitated taking the vessel to Meteghan for repairs.

The Bearcat was hauled out on one of the slips of the Meteghan Shipbuilding Company, when Capt. Nickerson made the seizure. Capt. Freeman Anderson is master of the Bearcat.

Presentation By Sunday School Class

Miss Minnie Campbell's Sunday School class, in the United church, met with her on Friday last week, at the home of Mrs. R. C. Smallie, in honor of one of their members, Pearl Fillmore, who is moving from Digby. After a merry evening of games, etc., refreshments were served and the class presented Pearl with a very attractive hand bag.

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CORONER'S JURY FINDS SKELETON UNKNOWN MAN

INQUEST DOES NOT SOLVE MYSTERY, BUT EVIDENCE INDICATES MAN WAS WILLIAM TEBO

That the remains of a human skeleton found in the woods near Digby, on January 21, with a bullet hole in the skull, were those of an unknown man, was the verdict given by the jury at the inquest held here on Saturday last, with Coroner S. A. Keen, presiding, and Frank Jones, K. C., crown prosecutor, interrogating the witnesses.

Evidence was given by Lemert Hudgins, who found the remains, Dr. E. DuVernet, provincial police officer F. M. Landry, Harry Bain, Andrew Tebo, an affidavit made by Mrs. Rebecca Lord in the United States, identifying articles stated to have been found with the remains, was admitted as evidence. The jury was composed of foreman W. S. Troop, W. Gaines, W. Oliver, G. McNutt, Harry Hayden, R. Russell, H. W. Bowles, B. Rooney, M. Wallis, C. Pines, D. Daley, and W. Winchester.

The skull was opened during the inquest, but no bullet was found inside.

Reviewing the case, Frank Jones, K. C., said there was no question as to how the man met his death. To all appearances he was shot, whether by accident or design. His own impression was that the remains were those of William Tebo.

The mystery of the man's identity and of how he came to his death, however, is still unsolved. It is understood that it was the first time in the history of Canada that an inquest has been held so many years after the death of a person. The provincial police have worked untiringly on the case endeavoring to secure evidence and when the frost leaves the ground a more extended examination will be made at the scene of the gruesome find.

Evidence Given

Lemert Hudgins testified that he found the remains on Jan. 21, while rabbit hunting on the so-called glee lands about 2 miles from Digby. He saw the skull alongside a thicket about 300 yards north of the main road. No path led to the spot. The trees at the scene were of small growth. There was a fence about 50 yards away. He saw part of the shoes near the bones he found.

Dr. E. DuVernet stated that after he was notified he drove to the scene and saw the skull and other remains found by Hudgins. The shoes would indicate that the remains might be those of a man. The bones were partially imbedded in the frozen ground. On examination of the skull he found a round hole in the right temple, and it was his opinion that this hole was caused by a bullet of about 32 or 33 calibre. He thought the remains had been there for perhaps 15 years. He could not express an opinion as to whether the wound was self-inflicted or not.

Provincial police officer F. M. Landry, told of going to the place where the bones were found with Coroner Keen. He saw bits of clothing imbedded in the ice. He assisted in thawing the frozen ground so the remains could be removed. After digging in the earth some silver coins were found, also a piece of a belt of narrow leather with a buckle was found. A chain was also found with horseshoe charm attached with part of a key also attached to the chain. \$1.60 in coins were found near the remains. The most recent date on the coins was 1913.

Revolver Missing

Harry Bain, of Mount Pleasant, testified that he knew William Tebo, who was deaf and dumb and worked at odd jobs. Tebo lived at the home of Covert Wright, near South Range, for several years. While living there, in the spring of 1914, he disappeared. A search was made some months later. Bain could not remember Tebo ever carrying a firearm.

Andrew Tebo, a brother of William, also stated that Will-

Wedding of Interest To Digby County

A very pretty wedding took place on Wednesday evening last at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard McCaul, of Delap's Cove, when their youngest daughter, Rosella Shirley, became the bride of Frances Barnett Coates, of Hillsburn. The officiating clergyman was Rev. C. P. Henderson, of the Advent church. The bride looked charming in a dress of white crepe back satin, with veil and orange blossoms and carrying a bouquet of roses and maiden hair fern. The bridesmaid was Miss Ellen Sproule, a niece of the bride, wearing a dress of blue celanese silk crepe, carrying a bouquet of pink carnations. The best man was Eldon Long, a nephew of the bride, wearing a tuxedo. The groom, wearing a tuxedo, was dressed in pink silk and carrying a bouquet of pink roses. After the ceremony a wedding supper was served. Those assisting were Mrs. Eugene Coates, Mrs. F. Sproule, Mrs. E. Sproule, Mrs. Rafuse, Mrs. John VanBlarcom, Miss Rafuse and Miss Lewis.

The evening the bride's mother, Mrs. McCaul, and Mrs. Arthur LeCompte, sang very sweetly, an old song, "Tis Midnight." The gifts were many and useful. Mr. and Mrs. Coates left the next day for Clarke's Harbor. Before returning they will visit Saint John and Fredericton. The bride travelled in a coat of brown kitten's ear broadcloth, with Alaska sable trimming, and hat and dress to match.

Weymouth Sunday School Holds Annual Meeting

The annual business meeting of the Sunday School of the United Baptist church, was held in the church on Sunday afternoon. A very interesting report on the year's work was read by the secretary, Mrs. A. L. Thurber. The following officers were all re-appointed for the year: Superintendent—Deacon H. M. Mullen.

Assistant Superintendent—Deacon William Lent.
Secretary—Mrs. A. L. Turter.
Organist—Miss Kathleen Fitzgerald.
Teacher Class No. 1—William Lent.
Teacher Class No. 2—H. M. Mullen.
Teacher Class No. 3—Mrs. Eva Wendell.
Teacher Class No. 4—Mrs. William Lent.
Teacher Class No. 5—Mrs. Ary Doty.
Teacher Class No. 6—Mrs. F. C. Amery.

Brotherhood Will Be In Charge of Singing.

The Brotherhood choir will be in charge of the musical portion of the service in the United church, on Sunday evening.

Iam disappeared in 1914. Andrew left Digby April 1, or April 10, of that year in the vessel Dorothy G. Snow. Andrew purchased some groceries and gave them to William before he (Andrew) left on the fishing trip. The Tebo homestead, where Andrew lived, was to be divided between he and William. Andrew could not identify the chain that was found near the remains. William owned a revolver but was not in the habit of carrying one. The revolver was always kept in the house but when he (Andrew) returned home the revolver was not in the house. Andrew could not identify anything as belonging to his brother. Constable Landry, recalled to the stand said he interviewed Covert Wright and asked him if he knew and had seen William Tebo. He said in 1914 he did not know the color of Tebo's clothes. He did not know what kind of shoes he wore. He could not remember much about Tebo. The affidavit of Rebecca Lord, of the United States, stated that William Tebo wore a watch chain with horseshoe charm and the size and kind of boots corresponded with the boots worn by her brother.

Havelock Lady Passes In Boston

The death of Ruth A., widow of Maynard Porter, took place at the hospital in Boston, Mass., a few days ago. She was 78 years of age. The passing was comparatively sudden, following a fall only one week before. Mrs. Porter was a resident of Digby County until thirty-three years ago, when she went to make her home with her children in Massachusetts. She maintained a kindly interest in her native community however, and made visits to her old home. The deceased is survived by four children. The late Mrs. (Rev.) Wm. McGregor, (Mae); Mrs. W. B. Nichols, (Nettie), Havelock; W. M. Porter, Dorchester, Mass.; Ralph, Montclair, Mass.

Mrs. S. C. Wagner, Wollaston, Mass.; W. M. Porter and Vincent, (grandson), accompanied the body from Boston. The funeral took place at Havelock.

Weymouth Churches Observe Day of Prayer

The World's Day of Prayer was observed in the churches here by a combined service of the United, Anglican and Baptist churches, which was held in the United church. The programme was the one adopted by the International Board Committee of the Women's Missionary Societies of Canada, and was prepared by Miss Kathleen MacArthur, a former missionary to Japan, and now vice-president of the Church of Christ College, of Toronto. In the evening the Pathfinder C. G. I. T. group, of the Baptist church, used the programme prepared by Miss MacArthur for the use of C. G. I. T. groups, on this day.

Two Bound Over To Keep Peace

Harold Haughan, of Clements-port, was fined \$10, and his brother Vernon, \$5, when tried before Stipendiary Magistrate H. R. McKay, at Annapolis Royal, on Saturday, on a charge of assaulting Creighton Balcom, son of Owen Balcom, of Clements-port. The accused each had to pay costs or spend thirty days in jail, and both were bound over to keep the peace for one year.

Capelin Off On Patrol Cruise

The Fisheries patrol boat Capelin, Capt. E. Lewis, which has been acting as mother ship to the Digby-Annapolis scallion fleet during the past several months, will make Yarmouth headquarters for the purpose of patrolling the Western coast prior to the opening of the lobster fishing season.

Digby Brotherhood Visits Bear River

The Brotherhood of the United church went to Bear River on Wednesday evening, as guests of the Brotherhood of the United church of that town. In spite of the dirty going and the hockey game in town, Digby was well represented, those present being Rev. E. W. Forbes, J. Appleby, C. J. Maclellan, J. H. Hayden, Rufus Connor, Harry J. Cantwell, Fred Turnbull, A. R. Turnbull, Chas. McBride, J. J. Wallis, Arch. Morehouse, E. M. Robertson, Harold J. Campbell, Harry Jefferson, Joseph Jefferson, Reginald Jefferson.

A splendid supper was served by the Bear River Brotherhood, after which the following toasts were drunk:

"The King", proposed by Major Alfred Banks, and responded to by the singing of "O Canada", and "God Save the King".

"The Brotherhood", proposed by Rev. E. M. Murray, responded to by Jabez D. Appleby.

"The Church", proposed by Rev. F. W. Wollaston, responded to by Rev. E. W. Forbes.

"Our Sister Churches", proposed by Joseph Langley, responded to by Arch. Morehouse.

J. Hart Hayden and Arch. Morehouse rendered a couple of duets, and Rev. F. W. Wollaston gave a reading.

Miss Edie Adams Will Be Hostess Next Week

A large number were present at the Hospital Sewing Circle, which met on Wednesday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. H. M. Warner. Miss Edie Adams will be the hostess next Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The regular monthly business meeting will be held at the Court House on Wednesday, at 2:45 o'clock, adjourning to Miss Adams'.

Digby Ravens In One Victory and One Defeat

The Digby Ravens defeated the Tigers, of Annapolis Royal, on Monday night, in the final game to decide the Valley championship, by the score of 3 to 1. The ice was heavy, but the teams played the best hockey seen on local ice in many years. The game was clean and well handled by Harry Butler, of Halifax. The Annapolis team showed great improvement over their past performance and deserve great credit for winning their section of the Valley championship, the first year of their entry into the league with Middleton, Berwick and Bridgetown.

The Falcons, of Lunenburg, defeated the Ravens in one of the fastest games of the season, on Wednesday night, by a score of 2 to 1. Policy scored both goals for Lunenburg, sagging the twice in the second and third periods. Denton shot a long one for the only Raven score in the second period. Blinn and Melanson both scored for Digby, but both goals were called off side. The teams were evenly matched, with little to choose. The tactics of the visitors helped them win the game on the sticky ice. Playing three men defense, they had the edge. The Ravens played better combination, but the heavy ice prevented all team play. The Falcons and Ravens will play the final game at Lunenburg tonight.

Brighton Resident Passes

The death of Ella M., widow of the late Nathan Seely, took place on Feb. 19, at her home, Brighton, after a long illness which was borne with great patience and cheerfulness. All was done that loving hands could do, but died in the mercy called her from her suffering.

The funeral, which was largely attended, was held from her late residence on Sunday afternoon, with interment in Barton cemetery. The services were conducted by Rev. M. R. Erving, of the United Church, of which church the deceased was a member. She leaves to mourn her loss an only son, William F., her mother, Mrs. Margaret Hutchinson, and one sister, Mrs. Leta Raymond, all of Somerville, Mass., to whom the sympathies of the community are extended.

Well Known Summer Visitor Dead In Boston

It is with deep regret that we have to chronicle the death of Mrs. Alice T. Bryant, of Tudor Mansions, Beacon Street, Boston, who passed away on Wednesday morning, after a long period of sickness. The funeral will take place today. Mrs. Bryant has had a long association with Digby and, with her husband, Joseph Bryant, who predeceased her several years, built the beautiful home on the Gut Road, not far from the Pines Hotel, and were among the regular visitors for the summer and fall months. She leaves two sons, Warren and Kenneth, to mourn their loss, and a large number of citizens of Digby, will sadly miss her cheerful presence. Mrs. Bryant took a great interest in matters pertaining to the good of the town and district, and was a most generous subscriber to Trinity Parish, and a regular attendant at the church services. She was also deeply interested in the work of the hospital and of the V. O. N., and was a liberal subscriber to them.

Frank Anderson has been in Halifax this week attending the Game Society's meetings.

Little Craft Is Tossed by Gale

Out in the big storm on Thursday, off the New England coast, and which kept large steamers in port at Boston and Portland, the fifty ton motor vessel, Grace Marie, arrived at Yarmouth on Sunday, in ballast. Capt. Loran Morrell, of Barton, master of the vessel, reported the nor'easter the worst he ever experienced, his little craft being tossed about like a bit of cork, and only to her staunchness is attributed the fact that she was able to weather the storm and make port without apparent damage.

Members of the crew stated that the Grace Marie left Meteghan last Tuesday for the purpose of picking up the mother ship of a rum-running fleet to obtain a load, but that ship could not be located. The Grace Marie is owned by local parties.

Liquor Is Found At Saulnierville Station

Preventive Officer A. G. Sangster, in company with Preventive officer B. M. Christie, of Meteghan, made several unsuccessful searches for contraband liquor at Meteghan River and Saulnierville, last Friday. Leaving the shore villages they went five miles back to Saulnierville Station, and their efforts were rewarded when they visited the premises owned and occupied by Leo Gaudet. After searching his house and barn, they found a cache of liquors in the woods not far from Gaudet's house.

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Freeport C. G. I. T. Holds Melhars' Service

The Live Wives Senior Group, C. G. I. T., of Freeport, held a service on Monday evening to which they invited their mothers. Twenty-four were present. The meeting opened with the regular business meeting, followed by group singing (three C. G. I. T. songs). The girls then gave a one-act play, entitled "The Old Maid's Club". This was followed by games and refreshments, and the evening closed with a general "sing-song".

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CRIPPLED CHILDREN

A crippled child, to the majority of people, is a child who is deformed physically, or who is without part of a limb. This is hardly a correct viewpoint, because a child whose body is damaged or deficient in any way is a cripple. The child who has a damaged heart is just as much a cripple as the child who has lost an arm or a leg.

Crippled children should have the extra attention which they require on account of their handicap in order to make life as nearly normal as possible for them and to guide their education so that they may become self-supporting adults.

There is a general willingness, which is altogether commendable, to lighten their burden and to brighten the lives of those children who are physically handicapped. In this age, despite all the criticisms which are being heaped upon it, there exists, more than in any previous age, an appreciation that every child has a right to a fair chance in the world.

While it is true that the crippled child should be helped, the sight of such a child should not only be an inspiration to help him, but should lead us to determination to help to prevent any child from becoming crippled. Do the most that can be done for the crippled child, and he will still be handicapped in life's venture; far better would it have been to have prevented the disability entirely.

To a large extent, crippling may be prevented. Tuberculosis of the bones in children is one cause which can be largely controlled by using only milk which is pasteurized, and thus made safe and rendered free from danger of its carrying tuberculosis to the child. Another means is by protecting the young child from exposure to any cause of tuberculosis.

Infantile Paralysis (Polio-myelitis) is one of the common causes of crippling. The treatment with convalescent serum before the paralysis develops is, of course, the best preventive measure, as such treatment will usually prevent the paralysis and the subsequent crippled condition. If the paralysis does develop, then proper care will do a great deal to prevent serious crippling. If such cases are not under proper care, the results will be much more serious than they would be had proper treatment been given.

The damage to organs of the body which cripples the child can, in very many cases, be prevented by safeguarding the child from such diseases as measles and scarlet fever which often leave permanent damage in their trail, by proper treatment of conditions such as St. Vitus' Dance and discharging ears, and by the correction of such conditions as diseased tonsils and teeth before they have a chance to do any damage to the vital organs of the body.

A TIMELY WARNING

It's a great temptation, when the weather is cold and so is the motor in your car, to close the garage doors and "warm 'er up" a little before starting out. Don't close the door—it is extremely hazardous. Regardless of many warnings, carbon monoxide gas poisonings are on the increase. In 1929 there were more than twice as many deaths from this cause as in 1924. There may be noticeable first symptoms from this form of asphyxiation—such as, nausea, weakening of the knees, vomiting, rapid breathing, headache. But often there is no warning and unconsciousness and death may come quickly. One part of this deadly gas is a thousand parts of air is a killing mixture. It doesn't take long for such an amount to accumulate in a closed garage. Even people sleeping in automobiles, if the windows of the car are kept closed, may be killed by the gas coming from a leak in the exhaust pipe under the body. Remember this about carbon monoxide—you can't

see it, you can't smell it, and you can't taste it. The only weapon with which you can successfully avoid the carbon monoxide assassin is plenty of fresh air. Prone Pressure Recusitation is the best treatment.

MODERN INVENTIONS

The news of the death of Sir Charles Parsons, inventor of the steam turbine, recalls the fact that most of the inventions which have revolutionized travel on land and sea and the affairs of life generally have been the work of the last half century. Sir Charles' invention revolutionized marine travel, and made possible for the first time the crossing of the Atlantic by gigantic liners in less than a week. His principles of generating power have been adapted to merchant vessels, warships and virtually every design of ocean-going craft.

His experiments, which led to the perfection of the steam turbine, were started in 1884. His first turbine produced ten horsepower, and made 18,000 revolutions a minute. Financiers were quick to see the possibilities of the new engine. Large works were established at Heaton-on-Tyne for manufacturing turbines, dynamos and other similar equipment. However, it was not until 1893 that Sir Charles began his work of adapting the turbine for use in ships.

The famous Turbinia was completed four years later. She was 100 feet long and had a displacement of forty-four tons. The steam turbines gave her 2,300 horse-power. In her first trials she amazed the owners of marine companies throughout the world by making thirty-four knots, establishing a record. Shortly after the successful trials the Parsons Marine Steam Turbine Company was founded with a plant at Wallsend-on-Tyne and the British Naval Department placed orders for the first turbine driven destroyers, the Viper and Cobra, and the first turbine powered cruiser, the Amethyst. The Viper and the Cobra attained thirty-six knots, but it was largely due to the success of the Amethyst that the Naval Department approved the use of turbines in many other warships. The steam turbines also were installed in many merchant vessels and were put into use for many purposes on land.

Sir Charles evoked much comment while visiting in the United States in 1924, when he made a plea for the founding of an international corporation to dig twelve miles into the crust of the earth. He contended that the power supply of the world was being depleted rapidly and that it might be possible to harness the heat that lies deep beneath the surface of the globe.

DIAMOND DEPOSITS IN CANADA POSSIBLE

The prospect of there being diamond mines in Canada is more than a possibility according to a handbook recently issued by the Department of Mines. In widely separated localities south of the Great Lakes diamonds have been found in glacial drifts, possibly gouged out of some Canadian hillsides by ice and transposed south. It is thought that somewhere in this country may lie the "mother-lode" of these stray stones, and if so it is yet to be discovered.

Iron ore in the Lake Superior region, fluorite in the Madoc district, corundum in the Bancroft area and gold bearing quartz veins in Nova Scotia have all been located by tracing glacial debris to its source. Similar methods were applied in the Coppermine district.

Sometimes river float gives the prospector a clue to the location of important ores. This process unfortunately for Canada, can only be applied in regions not affected by the great glacial age, since specimens containing metals discovered in one place may be fragments brought a great distance by the ice. In the Yukon gold and tungsten have been located in this manner, fragments found at the base of cliffs or mountains giving the prospector a clue. In the Gaspé peninsula, Quebec, lead-zinc ore bodies were discovered by tracing float uphill to its source. The Kenos Hill bodies in Yukon and Sapaw lake gold finds were made by tracing talus.

The handbook relates the oft-repeated story of how laborers building the T. and N. O. railway in 1903 were bright the surface of the vein of mineral over which they walked, of how the blacksmith, Larose, melted the ore in his forge before its value in silver was recognized.

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AMERICAN BUSINESS HOUSES ESTABLISH CANADIAN FACTORIES

Fifteen additional American business firms are negotiating for properties for the establishment of branch factories in Canada, in addition to the 65 American manufacturers who established plants in this country during the year 1930. In addition to those with definite plans to move into Canada, 52 other companies have applied to the Canadian Trade Commissioners in Chicago and New York for information concerning the formalities of setting up Canadian branch plants.

Among the firms making the move into this country in 1931 are the American Can Company; the Gilbert and Barker Manufacturing Company (makers of gasoline pumps and tanks); the Esmond Mills (blankets); Packard Electric Company; A. B. C. Washing Machine Company; Taylor Instrument Company; the Brown Sheet Iron and Steel Company; manufacturers; the Wonder Company (jams, mince meat, etc.); and the Buckeye Incubator Company; a subsidiary of the Cleveland Co-operative Stove Company.

Of the many pending projects, the most important is the plan of the United States Steel Corporation to build a \$60,000,000 steel mill on its 2,000 acre tract at Ojibway, near Windsor.

Canada's new tariff is described by United States papers as "drastic at least as far as the United States is concerned" while others look upon the tariff as a strong invitation to United States manufacturers to manufacture in Canada. "Enactment of the tariff on September 17, 1930" says The Business Week, "was enough to precipitate a decision in many cases, and to bring up the problem for serious consideration in many others." The average rate of duty on United States imports is now 20 per cent, as opposed to the previous average of 12%.

Fruit and vegetable canning factories of Vancouver and district turned out more than 1,500,000 cases during 1930, an increase over 1929 of over 350,000 cases, and beating the previous record year of 1928 by 80,000 cases.

To The Sick And Shut-Ins

(By Rev. A. E. Gabriel, Digby)

"Stretch Forth Thy Hand"—Mark 3:5. In sickness one of the hardest lessons to learn is that of patience. Along with that feverishness one notices too that patients do not obey either the doctor's orders or answer the call of God through His other means of grace.

Reading this 3rd chapter of St. Mark you notice that the man was asked to stretch forth "his hand." That was one thing he couldn't do; and he was asked to do it. Christ named His great incapacity and demanded the impossible. For years and years the shrunken, shrivelled thing had hung at his side. "Stretch forth thy hand," "Impossible." But he did it and his hand was made whole like unto the other. Many a woman has done the apparently impossible. "In watchings in the night—night after night, day after day. 'You'll never be able to do it,' but she did. 'She hath done what she couldn't'."

And that is to be the Christian's distinction. "What do ye more than others?" We are not to walk in the average ranks; we are to march in the van. We are to triumphantly beat the average. Anybody can do the possible. We are called to do the impossible, the things we cannot do. We are to make a living, and at the same time to ennoble a life. We are to get on and get up. We are to be ambitious and aspirant. We are to be creatures with wings, and yet to be the busiest folks on the hardest roads.

And harder things than these we have to do. We are to go to lives where hearts are like flint, and we are to melt them with the ministry of light. Impossible. Yes, we are to win great battles, and we are to have no other equipment than "The armour of light." Yes, and even the sick can do this—they can shed abroad the light of God into the hearts of those who visit them.

Our Lord commands it. What is the secret of achievement? This is the secret. His commandments are always the pledge of needful endowments. The blind man obeys his Master, and goes forth to find his sight in the pool of Siloam. How impossible. Yet he went, and Christ's holy power came back seeing. The cure was not in Siloam, but in the journey, not in the mineral spring, but in the obedience. "As he went he received his sight." At Christ's bidding faith sets out on the most astounding errands, "And laughs at impossibilities" and cries, "It shall be done."

Yours faithfully,
Albert E. Gabriel.

More than 12,000 young men and women of the rural parts of Ontario have attended the winter short courses in farming and domestic science provided by the Ontario Government this winter. Classes have been conducted in every county.

Nearly forty prizes were won by Ontario grain and seed growers at the international grain show at Chicago, in December.

GOOD BUSINESS ADVICE FROM THE BIBLE

The following good business advice is given by a contemporary as comment on a passage in the Book of Isaiah.

The Bible is seldom thought of as a text book on political economy. However, it contains a thought that seems especially applicable to the present business situation. The thought was uttered by the prophet Isaiah, and will be found in Chapter 41, Verses 6 and 7 of his book.

It reads: "They helped every one his neighbor; and every one said to his brother, 'Be of good courage.' So the carpenter encouraged the goldsmith, and he that smootheneth with the hammer him that smote the anvil, saying, 'It is ready for the soldering'; and he fastened it with nails, that it should not be moved."

Despite the quaintness of the language, one finds in that an idea that is as fitting to conditions in the year of our Lord 1931 as when Isaiah uttered it ages ago.

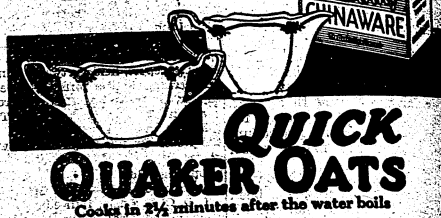
In a few words, Isaiah, who never dreamed of a motor car, or an airplane, or a radio, sums up what is wrong with our highly complicated industrial life, and suggests a remedy. He knew nothing of mass production, business cycles, agricultural over-production, or sales resistance. But he did know that each man was dependent on his neighbor and that in times of stress there is no substitute for courage and work.

All the business experts of today, with their means of statistics and wise prognostications, have said nothing more to the point than that.

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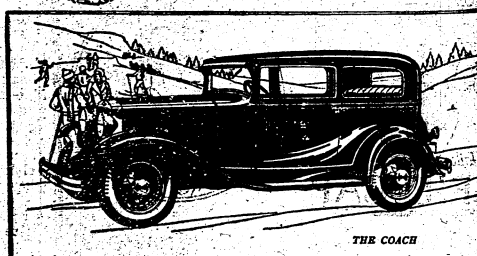
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Today

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E. F. Keith, Traveller.

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Today

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It certainly is a grand and glorious feeling to have different salesmen come up and tell you Red Rose is getting the big end of the business in the Provinces. I have had five different travellers tell me words to that effect since the first of the year.

G. A. Triton, Traveller.

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Spots
Today

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WHO'S WHO



Hon. W. C. Buckle

CHAIRMAN of the Executive and Finance Committee of the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference, is the important position occupied by the Hon. W. C. Buckle, Minister of Agriculture for Saskatchewan.

Mr. Buckle is a native of Gloucestershire, having been born at Robinswood Hill Farm, Tuffley, on a farmstead occupied by his family for several generations. His education was received at Sir Thomas Rick's Endowed School, Gloucestershire, and Brentford College, London, England.

Coming to Canada in his teens, Mr. Buckle served his farm apprenticeship at Clonwilliam, Manitoba, and in 1910 he moved to Tisdale in the famous Carrot River Valley district and engaged in farming near Tisdale.

Three years later Mr. Buckle became engaged in business in Tisdale, of which town he was mayor for four years. In the meantime he added considerably to his farming operations, and in 1925 was elected to the Saskatchewan Legislature to represent the Tisdale constituency.

In 1927 Mr. Buckle disposed of his business and devoted himself entirely to farm operations. In 1929 he was again elected to the Provincial Legislature. He joined the Government of Saskatchewan the same year and took charge of the Department of Agriculture.

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LITTLE RIVER

The Misses Kathleen Denton and Elsa Collins spent the week-end with their parents, Mrs. Martha Denton, and Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Collins, returning to their respective schools at Marshalltown and Mount Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Tidd entertained a number of young folks, in honour of their daughter, Freda Maud, on her sixteenth birthday, Thursday evening. The evening was spent by playing "progressive crokinole." Lila Frost and Edgard Trask were the winners of the prizes.

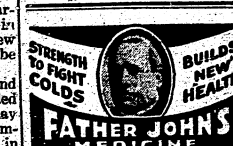
Ralph Cossaboom, Fisheries Overseer, was in this place recently, on business.

The special World's Day of Prayer, was observed in the Baptist Church, under the auspices of the W. M. A. S., Friday evening. It was largely attended.

F. C. Elford, Canada's poultry husbandman, and past president of the world's poultry congress, has been named by Premier Mussolini of Italy as a member of the executive for the fifth world's poultry congress which is to be held in Rome in 1933.

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KEMPTVILLE

A pretty wedding took place on Saturday, Feb. 14, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Grey, when their daughter, Helen Geneva, was united in marriage to Keith Albert Grey, of Plymouth. The bride looked charming in a beautiful gown of white crepe-back satin, with a veil, and carrying a bouquet of carnations and ferns. The ceremony, which took place under an arch, from which was suspended a wedding bell, was performed by the Rev. George C. Durkee. The gifts were numerous and beautiful, and consisted of linen, cut glass, china, etc. Luncheon was served by the girl friends of the bride. After a week spent with the bride's parents the happy couple will reside at Plymouth, where the best wishes of the community will follow them.

Miss Eleanor Hopson, of Sand Beach, spent the week-end with Miss Atlanta Clarke.

The young people of Kemptville, enjoyed a dance and card party at Robert Randall's, on Friday evening last.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jeffrey and baby spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Crowell.

A. M. Gates and Kenneth Roberts spent Sunday with friends at Ohio.

Small Amount
Of Insurance

Only a small amount of insurance was carried by the tern schooner Leo LeBlanc, owned by the Hankinson Shipping Company, of Weymouth, which was lost recently off Turk's Island, while bound towards Weymouth with a cargo of salt. A. A. Theriault, of Belliveau's Cove, is managing owner. The crew are safe and are expected to return shortly to their homes in Nova Scotia.

The University of New Brunswick has opened a new forestry and geology building costing \$200,000 to erect.

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CORBERRIE

Innocent Comeau is at present very busy putting up a saw mill at Lake Wentworth.

Miss Elsie Saulnier returned home on Tuesday, after a few months' absence in Belmont, Mass.

Miss Aida Comeau, our teacher, and Miss Elsie Saulnier, spent Sunday evening with the latter's sister, Mrs. Daniel Gaudet, Havelock.

Mrs. Siffroi Gaudet and son, Norman, were over Sunday guests of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Louis H. Melanson.

Charles Gaudet spent a few days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gaudet, Belliveau's Cove.

Miss Cerita Blinn was a welcome visitor at Mr. and Mrs. Louis H. Melanson's on Mardi-Gras day.

CENTRAL GROVE

Clarence Hersey, of Mink Cove, spent last week with his sister, Mrs. Eldry Guier.

Mrs. Bernard Bushie and little daughter, Rowena, of Freeport, are spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Tibert.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Stevens, of Freeport, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Tibert. Bradford Delaney, of Westport, spent last week with his father, George Delaney.

WEYMOUTH NORTH

The ladies of St. Peter's Guild held a quilting in the Guild hall on Saturday afternoon, on one of the W. A. quilts, which will be sent to the mission fields. Delicious refreshments were served by Miss Nellie Morse.

Amos Hill went to Yarmouth on Tuesday.

Mrs. H. B. Fitzgerald entertained the Sewing Circle of the United Baptist Church on Tuesday evening.

Arthur Titus, who has been employed in Lunenburg, County, has returned home.

Mrs. Kate Connell is ill with influenza, at the home of her sister, Mrs. Johnson Grant.

Robbie Milbury and Maurice Sabean were week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Raymond.

Mrs. Mussels, of Clements, who is spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. H. M. Journeay, was a guest of Miss Rosa Jones on Thursday.

Miss Hilda Hogan spent the week end at her home here.

Miss Vera and Wallace Mullen, spent the week end at their home in New Tusket. They were accompanied by Elsworth Coggins.

Miss Lillian Doty of Halifax, spent the week end at her home here.

SANDY COVE

Charles Beayea is seriously ill at his home here.

Amos Outhouse has returned, after spending a few days with friends in Tiverton.

The lobster fishermen are busy at present getting ready to set their traps on Saturday.

The Ladies' Aid, of the United Church, met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orrie Morehouse, on Tuesday.

The Progressive Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward McKay, Bonnie Brae Cottage, on Friday. Refreshments were served in the dining room, which was tastefully decorated by the hostess. There were about twenty present.

One of the most pleasant social events of the season in Sandy Cove, was a shopping frolic and party given to about forty-five of the young people, by Mr. and Mrs. Arlington Crowell, on Friday evening, at their home.

Fred Sypher, who has been sick for a long time, is still keeping his bed.

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"Where to Stay in Nova Scotia"

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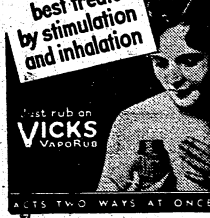
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THE BEAR RIVER WEEKLY COURIER

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FEBRUARY MEETING OF PHILATHEA CLASS

It was with the usual interest and enthusiasm that the women of the Philathea Class, of the Bear River United Baptist Church, met at the home of Mrs. Carol Clarke for their February meeting, the annual missionary meeting of the class.

Mrs. C. B. Miller, the president, conducted the devotional service. This consisted of a hymn, prayer, the creed and class-poem; the latter being read by Miss Grace Hubley.

Following the business period the meeting was given over to Mrs. Gilbert Hubley, convener of the entertainment committee.

The programme consisted of the following numbers:—
Hymn—Class.
Reading—Mrs. John Berry.
Violin Solo—Miss Marguerite Baird.
Reading—Mrs. Charles Green.
Vocal Duet—Mrs. Dukeshire and Mrs. Chute.
Reading—Mrs. A. A. MacLeod.
Vocal Solo—Mrs. Waldo Chute.
Reading—Mrs. R. A. Harris.
Piano Solo—Mrs. Carol Clarke.
Hymn—Class.

The refreshment committee, with Mrs. Earl McCormick, as convener, served delightful refreshments at the close of the evening's programme.

Will Be Soloist



OPERA STAR IN RADIO
Browne Peabody, the Canadian Mezzo Soprano, who sings with the American Opera Company, will be the soloist during the Canadian National "All-Canada Symphony Hour" on Sunday, March 1st, when the Toronto Symphony Orchestra broadcasts from Halifax to Vancouver. Miss Peabody is a native of New Westminster, B.C.

MRS. MARGARET HALL PASSES AT WOLFVILLE

Friends in Bear River are grieved to learn of the sudden death of Mrs. Margaret Hall, widow of the late Rev. W. E. Hall, who had at one time been pastor of the Bear River Baptist Church.

Mrs. Hall was 85 years of age and has been spending her summers in Bear River for the past few years, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Harris. She is survived by her son, the Attorney General of Nova Scotia, a daughter, Mrs. Hardy, of Waltham, Mass., and a second daughter residing in Quebec.

Mrs. Hall had been spending the winter in Wolfville, in which place she suddenly passed away, having been found dead in bed.

The funeral took place from her son's home in Halifax, where Mrs. Hall was buried.

RECITAL GIVEN BY PAUL KOLLINS

The recital given Wednesday evening of last week, in Oakdene Hall, by Paul Kollins, reader and impersonator, was greatly enjoyed by a large number of people.

Mr. Kollins, who reads most beautifully, gave a varied and very pleasing programme. Each number from the most serious to the most light being especially good. Perhaps the most enjoyed readings were the scenes in costume from David Garrick, and Henry VIII.

Mr. Kollins' recital was sponsored by the Women's Institute, who received a part of the proceeds.

During an intermission two violin solos were very beautifully rendered by Miss Baird, accompanied by Mrs. Carol Clarke. Home made candy was also sold.

WORLD'S DAY OF PRAYER OBSERVED

The World's Day of Prayer was observed by the Women's Missionary Societies of all the Protestant churches. The meeting was led by Mrs. J. Berry and Mrs. G. Croscup, and a programme was given as mapped out. Mrs. J. L. Warren sang a solo, and Mrs. H. Harris and Mrs. L. Sandford, a duet, "Where Cross the Crowned Ways". The service was well attended. An offering was taken for missions.

Eleven carloads of a special quality Canadian wheat have recently been shipped from central Saskatchewan destined for China. The grain has been shipped from four points in Saskatchewan, namely Melville, Cana, Dorn and Canora, and will be sacked at Vancouver before being loaded on ships for the Orient.



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The port of Vancouver, on the Pacific coast of Canada, saw an increase in shipping during 1930. The aggregate tonnage of vessels entering the port was 12,700,000 tons, an increase of nearly one million tons over the previous year. More than 63,000,000 bushels of grain were exported from the port.

One of the most outstanding sales of farm land in Western Canada was recorded when a farm near the city of Edmonton, Alberta, was sold for \$32,000 or an average price of over \$65 an acre. There are 462 acres in the farm with over 300 under cultivation.

Canadian farms in 1930 showed an increase of more than one million in the poultry population over 1929, this increase being almost entirely in hens and chickens.

SCOUT NOTES

Last Thursday's meeting was a real Scout gathering with twenty-two local Scouts and twenty-eight Digby Scouts in attendance.

As the Digby Scouts arrived, each patrol was assigned to a local patrol and conducted to their corners to await the opening.

When the signal was given at eight o'clock, the both troops assembled in double Horseshoe formation, and the assistant scoutmaster then came to the waiting room and made up a special patrol of the adult visitors and conducted them to their place in the horseshoe. This patrol consisted of Mr. Appleby, Assistant Scoutmaster, Digby Troop; Dr. Turnbull, Cubmaster, Digby Pack; and Messrs. Anderson, Campbell and Wightman of Digby; and Rev. A. A. MacLeod, Rover Leader, of Bear River.

After the flag-break a welcome was extended to the visitors and a short account given of the work done by the local troop, since their reorganization in 1927.

Then followed a presentation of badges, Allan Harris, Healthy Man, Public Healthy Man, First Class and Grade A All round Cord.

Watson Peck—2 Service Stars.

Edward MacDermid—Gardener's Badge and Service Star.

Billy Anthony—Musician's and Cyclist Badge.

Billy Sawdon—Ambulance, Healthy Man, Cyclist and Public Healthy Man.

Walton Snell—Patrol Second's Stripe.

The Peebits being winners of the Patrol Competition, were then awarded by the Assistant Scoutmaster, the Challenge Banner presented to the troop by Scout Barrett, of the 23rd, West London (England) Scouts.

Before closing the Horseshoe, the Scoutmaster presented Rev. A. A. MacLeod with his Rover Leader's Warrant from headquarters.

The meeting was then passed over to the Digby Scouts, who entertained the local troop for nearly an hour with a display of scout work which was very much appreciated and frequently applauded.

After this came a hot-dog feed given by the Peebits. This patrol showed themselves efficient cooks and caterers and kept a continuous stream of hot-dogs, doughnuts and coffee in circulation until everyone was fully satisfied.

Since no scout gathering is really complete without a camp-

Local and Personal

Geraldine Purdy is on the sick list.
Reuben Alcorn has been on the sick list.
H. Reicker, of Digby, was in town recently.

Father Murphy was in town on Wednesday.

Mr. Armstrong, of Saint John, was in town recently.

Miss Harriott Marshall arrived from Boston on Tuesday.

Mrs. L. J. Lovett left on Monday to spend a few days in Halifax.

Quite a number attended the hockey games at Annapolis last week.

St. John's Guild met on Thursday afternoon with Mrs. B. C. Clarke.

Stanley Sabians was the guest of Miss Florence Benson, recently.

Mrs. Harry E. Harris entertained a number of guests on Saturday.

Fulton H. Parker made a business trip to Annapolis on Saturday.

Baptist circle met on Monday evening at the home of Mrs. B. C. Clarke.

Mr. and Mrs. H. McClintock returned from Charlottetown on Tuesday.

Miss L. VanBuskirk spent the week-end at her home, Bear River East.

Mr. Robinson, of Boston, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fowler Robinson.

The Advent circle met on Tuesday evening with Mrs. Oakley Banks.

Mrs. Chapman Harris, who has been ill, is somewhat better at time of writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Rice are being congratulated on the arrival of a son, Feb. 23.

A goodly number of our people took in the hockey game at Digby, Monday evening.

The men's one-table bridge club met on Thursday evening at the home of Fred R. Harris.

The Ladies' Aid was entertained on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. A. Chute.

Mr. G. McLeod, assistant superintendent of the Metropolitan Insurance Co., is in town this week.

Lenten services are being held each Tuesday evening in Saint John's Church of England, at 7.30.

Mrs. A. G. MacIntyre returned on Monday from Wolfville, where she had been spending the week-end.

The little infant child of Mr. and Mrs. James Harlow, died on Friday of last week, and was buried on Sunday in the R. C. cemetery.

Alfred Parker, Chas. Stewart, Leigh Rice and John Morgan, who are working at Middleton, spent Sunday at their respective homes.

Mrs. W. M. Romans and daughter, Robina, of Halifax, left on Friday for New York, where they expect to remain for the next three weeks.

Norman McClintock left on Thursday for Saint John, on Friday he sailed for England and will be the guest of his mother, Mrs. McClintock.

The Brotherhood of the United Church, of Digby, Wednesday evening, February 25th.

The monthly meeting of the Women's Institute will be held in the Music reading room on Monday afternoon, March 2nd, at 3.30. All members requested to attend.

The engagement of Miss Ruth Wriston to Raymond Berry, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Berry, of Bear River, has been announced by Miss Wriston's parents, Rev. and Mrs. John Wriston, of Westboro, Mass.

About \$80,000,000 was spent in Canada in 1930 on hydro-electric power development and installations and it is expected that fully \$300,000,000 will be spent for a similar purpose during the next three years.

fire, the lights were then turned off and everyone assembled around the campfire for a sing-song. With such a volume of sound at times it seemed as though the roof must be lifting, but in the morning it was still found to be in its usual place.

The meeting finally closed with "God Save the King", and hearty cheers by both troops, and the wish that there might soon be another gathering of the same kind.

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The profitable and patriotic remedy for these conditions is the Boy Scout movement. Under the influence of a considerable body of citizens so trained our republic is fairly secure.

W. I. PANTRY SALE HITS SUCCESS

The pantry sale held Saturday afternoon and sponsored by the Women's Institute for the purpose of raising funds for the school library, was a huge success. Ladies were most generous in sending pies, cakes and other good things, and the sum of \$20.00 was made, which has been given to Mr. Brown, principal of Oakdene School, to be spent for books for the school library.



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Interesting Links in Canada's History

Among the souvenirs which are treasured at the Bytown Museum, by the Ottawa branch of the Canadian Women's Historical Society, are three very interesting items which belonged to Sir John A. Macdonald and Lady Macdonald. These were given to Mrs. D. B. MacTavish by the Hon. Mary Macdonald, in the fall of 1929, and Mrs. MacTavish presented them to the Bytown Museum where they are among the most cherished possessions.

Two heavy glass ink-wells, with brass tops, are set in a dark marble base on which is inscribed in gold, "To the Rt. Hon. Sir John A. Macdonald, K. C. B., from the boy to whom he once kindly said, 'Paddle your own canoe, Frank.' The identity of "Frank" seems to be unknown. Mrs. MacTavish and several others have devoted much time to looking up old manuscripts and letters and have interviewed many people in the effort to find out who the grateful boy was.

A beautiful solid silver card case which was one of Lady Macdonald's most-used possessions, is also at the museum and very little more is known of its history. It is presumed, however, that it was presented to Lady Macdonald by one of the members of the Royal Family as a wedding gift or as a souvenir of a week-end that she spent at Windsor Castle shortly after her marriage. Windsor Castle is engraved on the front and this fact is considered fairly definite proof that it was a gift from one of the Royal Family.

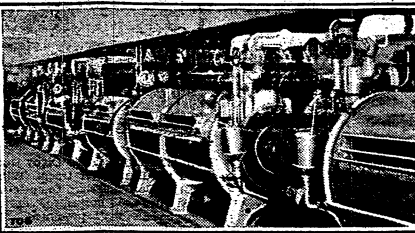
The third article is a very beautiful, old gold chateleine which Lady Macdonald wore at her waist. A gold mesh bag, a little pencil and tablet, and a comfit box were hung from the centre, medallion, on fine gold chains. This chateleine, regardless of how queer and old-fashioned it looks to us today, is nevertheless, one of the most beautifully fashioned articles to be seen at the Bytown Museum where souvenirs of most of Canada's statesmen, as well as of the early residents of Bytown which latter became Canada's capital, are to be found.

LITTLE ADVANCE IN TRAIN SPEED IN EIGHTY YEARS

A London despatch says: The public, which takes a keen interest and pride in the working of the British railways, and particularly in the speed of its express trains, was surprised to read in the recently published report of the Royal Commission on Transport that "it is remarkable that there has been practically no improvement in locomotive speed in this country during the last eighty years."

Recovering from the shock, however, the Britisher made the almost unanimous comment, "Well, trains must have run pretty fast eighty years ago." In point of fact they did, for the great "race to the north" between the railway companies

33,117,314 Pieces is Long Laundry List



Can you imagine a bewildered Chinaman, trying to total a laundry list of 33,117,314 pieces? But there is one like that. It is the total of washing done by and for the Canadian Pacific Railway Company in 1930, in Canada, including hotels and bunkhouse camps; sleeping and dining car service, which also operates station restaurants; and the British Columbia Coast boat service. If one stopped to sit down and figure out the gallons of water and bars of soap required for these operations, the results might be even more astounding.

The hotel department owns 783,821 pieces of linen; the dining and sleeping car service owns 1,500,000 pieces; the British Columbia steamships another, 247,000, making a grand total of 2,530,821 pieces. These include all "flat-pieces," such as table-cloths, sheets, napkins, towels, pillow-cases, and the white coats worn by the company's servants in

the various departments, and, in the hotels, a certain amount of laundry, done for guests. In the hotels, too, blankets, bed-spreads, rugs, and so forth must be considered. Every piece of laundry handled becomes a laundry-piece each time it appears in the wash. Thus a single table-napkin may be a laundry-piece over and over again, according to the supply of linen needed and available.

The picture shows a battery of washing machines in the laundry of the Royal York Hotel, Toronto, the largest hotel in the British Empire. Similar equipment in the great chain of Canadian Pacific Railway hotels throughout Canada handles the great laundry list in various centres, with the assistance, in certain districts, of laundries outside the company's service. But the Standard maintained is the same everywhere, immaculate cleanliness being the motto from coast to coast, both ashore and afloat.

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running between London and Edinburgh and Glasgow was on, and each line was trying to steal half-minutes on its rivals. And they still run pretty fast today.

The fastest run of a British express train for a distance of more than fifty miles is made by an express train which leaves Cheltenham, on the Great Western system every afternoon and does the 77 odd miles to London in 72 minutes—an average of more than 66 miles per hour.

Several other trains on the same line are scheduled for over a mile a minute, which means a practice that, when starting, stopping and slower speeds on the up-grades are taken into consideration, speeds totalling on 90 miles an hour are attained on favorable stretches. The lines running north from London also make some remarkably fast runs, though their chief pride is in the distance covered by their "non-stop" expresses.

The British record non-stop run is held by the London and North-Eastern Railway, whose daily 10 a. m. express from London to Edinburgh, covers 392.7 miles without a single intermediate halt, though at an average speed of only 47.6 miles per hour. The length of these non-stop runs has certainly increased during the last eighty years, but it was as long ago as 1904 that a Great Western passenger train on a regular run attained a speed of 102.3 miles an hour—the highest ever authentically recorded by a regular train on a British railway.

Canada has some three billions of dollars invested in her transportation systems, including railway and steamship lines, another two billions in motor highways, and a billion in hotels.



DANISH SETTLERS IN MARITIMES MAKE GOOD

The successors of the ancient Vikings are evidently making a better success of their attempts at settlement in the Maritimes than their forebears, whom, historians state, started a settlement in the southern portion of Nova Scotia in the vicinity of Yarmouth about the year 1000 A.D., according to information released by the Agricultural Department of the Canadian National Railways.

The first settlement of Danes was at a place now called New Denmark, in New Brunswick, in 1872, and this community has grown until it now numbers over 1,000 and they are located on their own farmlands. They have their own community life and a resident pastor. Up until three years ago there was no great influx of Danish settlers into the Maritimes but due to the efforts of the Colonization Department of the Canadian National Railways, in co-operation with the Provincial Governments, a number have been brought in and placed on lands principally in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia. A settlement was started at Apohaqui, N. B., in 1927, when three Danes came over from Denmark with their wives and families and this community now numbers 100 persons, they also own the farms on which they are located. In the same year, a Danish settlement was started near Sussex, N. B. Other Danish families have been located at Bloomfield, Norton and Irish town, all in New Brunswick. Settlement in Nova Scotia was commenced in 1928 when Danes were placed on farms at Malagash, Wallace, Pugwash and Tatamagouche. In the Fall of 1929 a Danish family was settled on a farm in Prince Edward Island and in addition a number of single Danes have been placed on farms in that province.

That they are thrifty and a desirable type of settler is borne out from the figures showing their financial stake in the country, represented by farms purchased. Later Danish settlers in the Maritimes own farmlands to the value of approximately \$85,000, being divided about equally as between Nova Scotia and New Brunswick. One of them, who purchased a 350 acre farm in 1927 and who by applying himself and following a short rotation scheme is now producing large yields, stated recently that in his opinion the Maritime Provinces in the near future will offer better farming opportunities than any other part of the world.

Fish caught in the fresh water lakes of northern Saskatchewan are now being shipped by aeroplane to markets in eastern Canada and the United States. About 3,000 pounds of whitefish and trout are carried from the northern lakes to Prince Albert in two daily trips. It is planned to increase the service so that 6,000 pounds can be transported daily to the railroad.

THE COUNTRY NEWSPAPER

(By Fred Keller Dix)
Up through my office window came the city's capacious din. I just had paused a moment when the evening mail came in—A pile of business letters and the papers with the news Of wars and murders, fires and wrecks—most anything I'd choose. I cast them one by one aside, and found beneath them all: A homely country paper, blurred with ink and somewhat small. That drew my full attention to its columns up and down—The little weekly paper that they print in my home town.

This country paper always tells of things in quiet tones. It deals not with the outside world—but topics all its own.

It tells about the folks who visit in the quiet town, and of the things that men are doing; That meat is spicing upward and that eggs are going down; That some old chum has married, or a life-long friend has died; The stork has paid a visit and two hearts are swelled with pride. This paper strikes a tender chord when far away you roam, For one is always glad to hear what's going on at home.

It's short on punctuation and in spelling, I admit; Some letters, too, are upside down; It's smeared with ink a bit. Its face is worn and haggard, and the news is mostly late. Sometimes because the makeup man forgets to change the date. It's welcome to my office for it brings me joy and rest; It lets me live an hour each week with friends I've loved the best. It brings a homelike feeling—and I'm happy to confess I was once their printer's devil—"settin' type and feedin' press."

The port of Montreal normally handles some 12,000,000 tons of merchandise. The aggregate tonnage of vessels handling this merchandise is about 20,000,000 tons.

Canada's flour milling industry is extensive. There is now more than 1,300 mills in operation, with an investment of \$68,000,000.

Fruit and vegetable canning factories in Canada now total about 300, with an annual production valued at about \$40,000,000.

Canada's average yield in potatoes last year was 142 bushels per acre. The total yield being nearly 82,000,000 tons.



SHERIFF'S SALE

1931 "A" No. 934
IN THE SUPREME COURT
BETWEEN:
A. W. WARNER Plaintiff
and
FRANK JONES (appointed to represent the heirs and personal representatives of Alexander MacDonald, deceased) Defendant

To Be Sold at Public Auction by the Sheriff of the County of Digby, in front of the Court House at Digby, in the said County of Digby, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of March A. D. 1931, at twelve o'clock noon, pursuant to an Order of Foreclosure and Sale made hereon on the 24th day of January, A. D. 1931, unless before the day appointed for such sale the amount due the Plaintiff herein on the Mortgage sought to be foreclosed, be paid to the Plaintiff or his Solicitor.

All the estate, interest and equity of redemption of the mortgage in the land and premises situate, lying and being at Plympton in the County of Digby and bounded as follows: On the North by the Main Post Road; on the East by lands occupied by Joseph H. Potter and a small place occupied by the Baptist church; on the South by lands of W. K. Smith and on the West by lands of the late Samuel Milbray; thence along Main Post Road to place of beginning, 178 feet or thereabouts; thence South-easterly 677 feet or thereabouts; thence with the buildings situated thereon, all the easements and appurtenances to the same belonging.

TERMS.—Ten per cent. cash deposit at time of sale, balance on delivery of Deed.

HEZEK E. BISHOP
High Sheriff of the County of Digby

FRANK W. NICHOLS
Solicitor for Plaintiff
Dated at Sheriff's Office, Digby, N. S. January 24th, A. D. 1931



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District Superintendent of Postal Service
District Superintendent's Office,
Halifax, February 20th, 1931.

CLASSIFIED ADS

CARD OF THANKS—Donald Young, who has been laid aside for three and a half months with blood poisoning, has so far recovered that he expects to be able to resume work in a couple of weeks. He takes this day of expressing his thanks to Dr. W. C. Harris, for his efforts in saving the affected finger. 30 1p

CARD OF THANKS—The family of the late Ella M. Seely wish to express their thanks and appreciation of the kindness extended to them during the illness and death of their mother and sister; also for floral tributes.—The Family 30 1c

FOR SALE—One Carlisle Choice Hay. Immediate delivery.—Apply to the undersigned.
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FOR SALE—The farm property recently occupied by Frederick J. Thibault, located on the western side of the Main Road, leading from Digby to Weymouth, at Syda's Corner, so-called, consisting of 23 acres of land and farm buildings. Can be purchased by paying reasonable amount down and the balance on easy terms. For further particulars apply to Frank W. Nichols, Digby, N. S. 29 8c

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FOR SALE—One Trapping Boat and Engine, box stern, 22 feet over all, and four-horse power engine. The boat is under cover and in good condition.—Mrs. Herbert Daley, Culloden, Digby Co. 30 3p

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New Tugboat Man

President Flying Club

At a meeting of the Boston Flying Club, held last week, Clifton S. Hassett, the flying shoe man, was selected president for the coming year. He succeeds Robert Rice, who was one of the organizers of the club.

Hassett, who has as many flying hours as any other member of the club, is in the employ of the Regal Shoe Company, in Boston. He has had considerable experience in cross country work and has flown many different types of ships.

The Boston Flying Club makes its headquarters at the Skyways hanger on the Boston Airport, and has Lieutenant Henry G. Harris as instructor. The club owns a Kinner-powered Kitchhawk.

Mr. Hassett is a former native of New Tuxet, having gone to Boston a number of years ago. He has many relatives and friends in this place, who will be pleased to hear of his success.

Doctor Says Movies

Do Not Injure Eyes

It is not the fault of the stars or of the projection machines if motion pictures hurt the patrons' eyes. The blame falls squarely on the eyes of the patrons, in the opinion of Dr. William M. Richards, of the Better Vision Institute, who in his address before the National Board of Review Pictures, at the Pennsylvania Hotel, in New York, that an insidious rumor that the films were bad for the eyes was keeping thousands daily from the motion picture box office.

"If motion pictures hurt your eyes don't blame the picture but blame your eyes and have them examined," he declared. "For if your eyes are normal, either with or without glasses, you can look at films without any discomfort whatever. It is a common complaint among persons generally to say that their eyes have been ruined by motion pictures. Normal eyes never give symptoms when looking at the pictures and never are in any way harmed by them."

TIVERTON

Mrs. George Outhouse is spending a few weeks at the home of her son, Walter Outhouse, at Smith's Cove. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Outhouse, of Smith's Cove, spent Sunday last with relatives here.

Miss Nellie Thurber, of Freeport, visited her aunt Mrs. Joel Blackford, last week.

Mrs. Nell Outhouse has returned from her visit at Little River.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Perry, of Freeport, were the over Sunday guests of Mr. Perry's brother, Linwood Perry.

Little Ellen Outhouse has returned to her home at Smith's Cove.

John Titus and brother, Isaac Titus, have returned to their homes at Freeport.

Mrs. Allen Young is improving after her recent illness.

Delroy Outhouse, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Outhouse, who was accidentally shot in the neck, while he, with two other lads, were playing with a gun on Friday afternoon last, is improving. Dr. A. F. Weir is in attendance.

Miss Sarah Ruggles is visiting friends up the country.

FREEPORT

Miss Kheeta Perry arrived on Monday from Yarmouth.

Herman Nichols went to Saint John Monday, Feb. 16, en route to the Pacific Coast for the fishing season.

Mrs. Hoyt is a visitor of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Morrell.

Miss Lulu Outhouse, of Tiverton, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Romaine Perry.

Ralph Israel is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Thurber.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Thurber are home again after spending a couple of months at White Head, Grand Manan.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ring are visiting their daughter, Mrs. L. B. Small, of Tiverton.

John Thurber and Frank Teed are on the sick list. Earle Heines is reported slowly improving.

Mrs. Ernest Halliday entertained the senior C. G. I. T. group on Monday, Feb. 16.

Mrs. A. F. Weir entertained the Bridge Club, Friday, Feb. 20.

WESTPORT

Miss Dorothy Thompson was a passenger to Yarmouth on Thursday en route for Boston.

Miss Esther Buckman spent the week-end in Yarmouth.

Mrs. R. V. Watkins has returned from Halifax.

Austin Garrison was a passenger to Yarmouth on Monday.

Mrs. James Buckman and daughter, Mrs. Irene Pugh, were passengers to Yarmouth Thursday, returning on Monday.

Miss Evelyn Denton, of Halifax, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Denton.

Melvin Tibert, of Central Grove, spent the week-end in town.

PORT WADE

Lie. H. S. Hardin, having recovered from his recent illness, occupied the pulpit in the United Baptist Church here on Sunday evening.

Mrs. Elmer Middleton arrived here from Southville this week, and is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Edmond Balne.

Mrs. Arthur Wear and child, who have been visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ellis, returned to Annapolis this week.

James Muscels received word recently that his sister-in-law, Mrs. Sarah Fleet Muscels, had passed away at her home in Revere, Mass. The deceased was formerly a native of this place.

Mrs. Fred Adams and family, of Bay View, spent Sunday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Charles Parks.

The Victoria Beach amateur hockey team played the Lower Grandville team in an exciting game on the pond back of Port Wade, on Saturday afternoon. The spectators, both men and women, lustily cheered as the game came to a finish, Victoria Beach winning with a score of 8 to 0.

On Friday what came near being a fatal accident, ended in the smashing of the rear window and top of the Chevrolet coach driven by Foster Stephenson. While trying to climb the icy hill leading to Casey's residence, the car stalled and but for a huge tree would have rolled over the steep embankment. A large limb caught the car through the rear window and held it, until the occupants crawled out to safety.

NEW TUXET

Henry Munro, of the S. S. Yarmouth, spent Tuesday, Feb. 17th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Sabean.

Russell Smith, who has been in Berwick the past few months, is spending some time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Gaudet and son, who have been in the U. S. A. since last spring, returned home recently.

Vera and Wallace Mullen, who are attending school at Weymouth North, spent the week-end at their home here.

Miss Eva Sabine, of Riverview, spent the week-end with friends here.

Rev. F. C. Amery spent the week-end at this end of the field. A very large crowd was present at the Sunday evening service, and the sermon on "The Kingdom Come" was very much enjoyed. Mr. Amery is preaching a series of sermons on "The Lord's Prayer".

DEEP BROOK

Mr. and Mrs. George Turnbull, of Digby, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Henshaw.

Mrs. Robert Spurr spent the week-end, guest of her sister, Miss E. A. McClelland, at Lawrenceton.

Mrs. Edward Bartheaux is spending a very pleasant holiday with her brother and other relatives and friends in Queen's Co.

Everett Burrell, of Yarmouth, was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Strong.

S. A. Spurr has recently installed in his home an electric radio of the latest make.

Mrs. Annie Copeland entertained the Dorcas Society on Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 18th.

The first service preparatory to the Lenten season, was held in the Anglican Church on Ash Wednesday, and was well attended.

The rector, Rev. A. W. L. Smith, gave a timely and helpful address. Services will continue every Wednesday at 4 o'clock, through Lent.

ACACIAVILLE

Quite a number of the young folks attended the hockey game in Digby, on Monday night last.

Messrs. James Roope, Billy Roope and W. W. DeLong motored to Yarmouth last week. The former to consult Dr. Phinney, the eye specialist.

The February meeting of the Ladies' Aid, was held at the home of Mrs. J. A. H. Nichols, with a splendid attendance, as most every member was present. Several new members have recently joined the Society.

H. T. Warne, of Digby, who has had a crew of men cutting ice at Haines' Lake, is through with the work. This was conveyed by trucks, having put in over a thousand tons.

Miss Scie DeLong spent the week-end, the guest of her brother, Charles, at Weymouth Mills.

CLEMENTSVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. John were the Sunday guests of their daughter, Mrs. Stanley Matting.

Miss Ruby Lowe returned home from the Digby Hospital a few days ago.

Another Shipment of Dodge Cars

H. L. Woodman has received another shipment of Dodge cars—both six and eight—this week, and will be pleased to demonstrate them.



SCOUT NEWS

Come On Out!

On Thursday last the Digby troop visited the Bear River troop. When the Digby Scouts arrived the meeting opened in the horseshoe, during which badges were presented. Mr. Cunningham addressed the boys giving the history of the Bear River troop. The visitors provided the entertainment which took the form of an exhibition of scout work; the Bear River troop supplied the refreshments.

The meeting of the Digby troop, on Friday evening, opened with the horseshoe. Matters of general interest were discussed after which the meeting closed.

Personal Mention

O. C. Jones was in town early this week.

Douglas Raymond arrived home from Halifax on Friday.

L. Allison, of Halifax, was here on business on Tuesday.

Mrs. Clifford King has been visiting in Halifax this week.

Stanley Weir, of Roslinville, Mass., was a visitor in Digby this week.

Mr. David Daley left yesterday for the South Shore on official business.

Mrs. W. J. McMahon and daughter, spent the week-end in Weymouth.

H. B. Short, M. P., was a passenger to Halifax on Tuesday, returning on Thursday.

Mrs. David Daley has returned from Berwick, where she has been visiting her husband.

Mrs. Harry Fitzrandolph, of Round Hill, has been visiting relatives in Digby for a few days.

Miss McLaughlin, vice principal of the Academy, was a visitor in Weymouth over the week-end.

Mrs. Carolyn Saunders and Mrs. Bernard Morris have been recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Eldridge.

Mrs. Daley, of Lawrenceton, book-keeper for M. A. Condon, returned, on Tuesday to resume her position.

Miss Beatrice Thompson, of the Maritime Fish Corporation, has gone to her home in Windsor for an indefinite time.

Sydney Melaney, Jr., of New York, who has been in the doctor's hands for some weeks, arrived home last Friday to recuperate here.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Wright and Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Dickie, who have been in Florida, are on their homeward journey, and are expected next week.

Mrs. Margeson, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Short, left on Tuesday to visit relatives in Hantsport. She was accompanied by Mrs. Short, who will return on Thursday.

Mr. C. J. Sypher and his sister, Mrs. G. M. Morrell, have been on a trip to Boston and New York. They returned yesterday from Saint John, accompanied by Capt. Morrell, who joined them in that city.

Among those confined to their homes by the prevailing epidemic of colds are Mrs. A. E. Dickson, Mrs. A. J. Dillon, Mrs. C. F. McBride, Miss Isabel Williams, Miss Eleanor Wallis, Mac Wallis, and Mr. and Mrs. Jules Faut.

NOTICE TO READERS

Any reader of this paper, who has friends living away from home, should read this.

We are compiling a list of names and addresses of people from the sections served by this paper living away, with a view to occasionally sending them copies of this paper, free of any charge whatsoever, that they may see some of the home news.

Any reader of this paper who will send us the names and addresses of any people that they know, residing in other parts of Nova Scotia, Canada, or the United States, can be assured that we will send this paper absolutely free of charge for a month, so that the people away from home may get the home news for that period. There will be no charge to the reader sending us the addresses, nor to the party to whom we send the paper. There will be no obligation of every kind.

It might be that these people living away from home after seeing the paper for a month or so, would like to have it come regularly and if so we would arrange with them, accordingly.

Please address the office of this paper.

Surprise Party

At Smith's Cove

A. H. Weir was pleasantly surprised Monday evening, when about forty relatives and friends gathered at his home, the occasion being his 73rd birthday.

Mr. Weir, who has been confined to his home all winter with rheumatism, is gradually improving, but not able to be out around yet. He received a number of gifts bearing original poetry, which he read as he opened the parcels.

The evening was spent in games and music, and Rev. H. W. Habel gave a few humorous readings. Very delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Chester Beals and Mrs. Elmer Weir. At the close, the company sang "Auld Lang Syne", and Mr. Weir in a few words thanked all for the pleasant evening. He then gave one of his humorous readings called "The Bewitched Clock".

SMITH'S COVE

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Winchester, who have had rooms at Minard Weir's for the winter months, moved back to their own home last week.

The Misses Vera and 'Kay' McHugh have returned from visiting friends in Digby.

Mrs. Geo. Weir and Miss Katherine Weir were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Logan Adams, Deep Brook, last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Outhouse spent Sunday in Tiverton, on their return they were accompanied by their little daughter, Ellen, and Mr. Outhouse's mother, Mrs. Geo. J. Outhouse, who will be their guest for a few weeks.

Mrs. Chester Beals and daughter, Mildred, of Berwick, arrived Monday to be present at her father's birthday party. They returned to Berwick Tuesday.

Stanley J. Weir, of Roslinville, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bert, of Cambridge, Mass., arrived Tuesday to spend some time with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Weir.

Miss Katherine Weir, who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Weir, for the past month, returned to Toronto Thursday. Her mother accompanied her as far as Saint John, where she will spend a few days with friends.

Miss Grace Brooks, of Weymouth, spent Sunday here, with relatives.

Trinity Parish Weekly Bulletin

The subject of the children's lantern service in the Parish Hall this afternoon will be "Pilgrims' Prayers".

The regular Lenten week day services are held in the Parish Hall on Wednesday and Friday evenings, at 7 o'clock.

The Trinity Guild will meet at the residence of Mr. W. E. Tupper on Monday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. The services on Sunday will be as follows:

8 a. m.—Holy Communion.
11 a. m.—Children's Eucharist.
All Sunday School children are asked to be present.

Sermon Subject—"Maker of Heaven and Earth".

3 p. m.—Service at Marshalltown 7 p. m.—Evangelism and Sermon. Sermon Subject—"Burden Bearing".

The choir will finish practicing Easter Music at the rehearsal to-night, so as to devote the next few weeks to the Sacred Cantata, "Olivet to Calvary", which will be presented in the local theatre on Good Friday. The Cantata will be illustrated with pictures as the choir renders the music.

World's Day of Prayer Observed At Deep Brook

The World's Day of Prayer was observed by the Baptist Church. The meeting was held on Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Spurr. The W. M. A. Society were invited to attend. Rev. H. W. Habel conducted the meeting. He selected the 23rd Psalm as the subject of his fine address.

House Burned At Weymouth North

The house owned by William Amero and occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Norman Eurns and family, was completely burned to the ground during the heavy fog on Monday evening, about 11 o'clock. Nearly all the furniture was saved.

A Form of Distemper Destroying Dogs

There is a form of distemper prevalent in this district, which is particularly fatal to dogs. Among those which have died during the past few days have been two very valuable animals belonging to T. J. Harris. If your dog is showing any signs of a cold have him looked at at once.

Former Courier Employee

Dead in Revere

Word has been received here that Leigh Cowan, a former Digby boy, died in Revere, Mass., last week at the age of 59 years. Mr. Cowan in early life learned the printing business in the Courier office, under the late O. S. Dunham. He leaves his mother and sister to mourn. The remains were placed in a vault until spring, when they will be brought home to Digby for interment.

Entertainment At

United Church Hall

A travel talk on "Switzerland" was given by Rev. E. J. Forbes, in the United Church hall, on Thursday evening last, which was much enjoyed by those present. Some fifty lantern slides, showing the cities, mountains, lakes, rivers and waterfalls, were shown. Mrs. Goring was soloist. This entertainment is to be repeated this evening, in the Temperance Hall, at Smith's Cove.

FOR SALE

1 Computing Scale, weighing to 30 lbs. practically new and in excellent condition

1 New Glazed Cheese Case

1 New Kerosene Tank, with Pump

1 Cash Register, small, used only few months.

R. D. BARKHOUSE - Weymouth, N.S.

Paul Yates has the new Camera
Films with an absolute guarantee.
Satisfactory pictures, or a new film
free. Buy a roll and try it now.

A Pantry Sale and Afternoon Tea

under auspices of the Ladies' Hospital Aid,

Mrs. DuVernet, Convenor

will be held at

The "WHITE ASTER"

on

Saturday, February 28th.

Come in for Tea. Take home a pie or cake for Sunday.

Tea served from 4 to 6 — 35 cents



Attractive Specials at Lower Prices

3 Pkgs Corn Flakes 25c	2 lbs New Boneless Cod 33c
3 Boxes Table Salt 25c	2 Pkgs Shredded Wheat 25c
Chinaware Rolled Oats 39c	2 Cans Salmon 39c
3 lbs Bulk Tea 95c	4 lbs Yellow Eye Beans 25c
Father John's Medicine 1.00	3 lbs Shortening 45c
Large Bottle Scott's Emulsion 1.09	Large Jar Strawberry Jam 50c
2 Tins Sliced Pineapple 25c	20 lb Pail Shortening \$2.79
3 Large Boxes Matches 25c	3 lbs New Prunes 25c
2 lbs Ripe Tomatoes 35c	20 lb Pail Pure Lard \$3.29

BIJOU DREAM THEATRE

SATURDAY, FEB. 28

Special All Talking Show

HOOT GIBSON

in

"Trigger Tricks"

Tremendous Damage to Digby by Worst Storm in Years

Wharves, Breastworks and Buildings Demolished, Great Damage to Embankments

Water Street Is Rendered Almost Impassable and Scaupette Bridge Badly Damaged.

Damage to the extent of many thousands of dollars was caused by the water front of Digby on Wednesday by the most terrific gale in years. Practically all the abutments in the town, wooden and concrete, were washed away by the sea which battered the shore for two or three hours, while the tide was at the flood. In many places the banks on the seaward side of Water street—Digby's principal commercial thoroughfare—have been washed away to the line of the streets of buildings growing on the street line were undermined and one or two fell into the water, where the force of the sea broke them up into kindling wood.

Wreckage of the abutments and piling of various kinds is strewn along the shore and even washed up on the streets, which were continually swept by the spray. About eleven o'clock the spray was being thrown over the soldiers' monument and even over the roofs of the houses, sometimes hitting as high as three feet. The floor is a complete wreck, and the wharf, which in a measure protected the northeastern corner of the building was completely carried away. The Letteney wharf, which has lately been used by the Warrenton government pier is piled with logs and wreckage left there by the high seas. The railway, as a measure of safety, removed all its freight cars from the pier on Wednesday afternoon.

Part of Water street, opposite the residence of Charles MacBride, has been undermined and has been felled off. Nothing whatever remains of the Public Pavilion or of the Lour Lodge building houses.

The old Letteney wharf has shed its floor which lifted off huddly, and the small warehouse still in fact, is floating as a raft in Turnbull's north dock. The foundations of many of the buildings on Water street have suffered with the battering they have received from drifting wreckage. Mrs. Roop's store was the great storm of August 14, 1927. The building was washed away completely, but the motor yacht Pungy, owned by Harry Ross, and the scalloper Viola L. owned by Arch. Ellis, were torn from their cradles where they were in winter quarters and carried across the Raquette stream. The former seems to be very little damaged, but the way of the scalloper is badly "stove in."

The Princess Helene arrived from Saint John on time but such was the intensity of the wind that she could not dock, and she went towards the Granville shore and anchored in the lee of the mountains.

The storm increased in velocity

WORTH LOOKING INTO

To the Editor of the Courier:

Sir—It is time the communities served by the Annapolis Valley Electric Company got wise to the way they are being imposed upon in street lighting.

At the recent meeting before the Public Utilities Board it was proved that the company was getting 10 per cent. per annum depreciation, and 8 per cent. per annum return on investment of first cost of brackets, wire, poles, etc., notwithstanding sworn evidence having been produced to the Board of all this equipment having been in actual use for over fifteen years, and still in good order. The result of this is that at the end of ten years the Company will

- (1)—Have been repaid the whole of the first cost;
- (2)—Have had 8 per cent. per annum "return on investment" on such first cost;
- (3)—Have had the interest on the amount of the 10 per cent. per annum depreciation from time to time on hand;
- (4)—Have had \$2.14 per lamp per annum for repairs, painting and difference in price of light bulbs, charged at 35 cents, but only costing 19 cents each;
- (5)—Own the equipment; and
- (6)—Still go on collecting the 18 per cent. per annum on said first cost, namely, 10 per cent. for depreciation, and 8 per cent. return on investment.

In allowing such a state of affairs the Public Utilities Board is evidently favoring the American owners of the company at the expense of the local consumer.

Alfred Porter
Bear River, March 2, 1931

Well Done, Digby Ravens!

Now that the hockey season is over—we will take the opportunity of saying a word or two of praise for the good old Digby Ravens, the pluckiest hockey team in Nova Scotia!

The Ravens did not get as far this year as they have in the past few years, but taking everything into consideration they really did better than they have ever done. This year our boys got right into the semifinals after playing only one exhibition game with Berwick. They played a fine game, and the Annapolis Falcons, and they met the Lunenburg Royals, fought a couple of good games, and lost.

In spite of their handicap, the Ravens got pretty well up the ladder and what is more showed good sportsmanship all the way through.

Well done, Digby Ravens!

Juanita Lodge Celebrates Anniversary

Juanita Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Westport, held their anniversary supper in the I. O. O. F. hall on Thursday evening last. A delicious turkey supper was served to about one hundred and fifty, after which the following programme was rendered by a few of the members assisted by some of the Sister Rebekahs.

Readings—Rev. Horton.
Duet—Rev. H. M. Phinney and Gerald Bailey.
Reading—Mrs. Charles Buckman.
Quartette—Bros. Phinney, Bailey, Dakin and Coggins.
Duet—Mrs. John Swift and Mrs. Ernest McDormand.
Solo—Edgar McDormand.
Recitation—Miss Mary Morhouse.
Duet—Rev. Phinney and Mrs. E. M. McDormand.
Quartette—Bros. Phinney, Bailey, Dakin and Coggins.
Solo—Rev. Horton.
Speeches by—Mr. Lewis, E. C. Cousins and E. Pugh.

The Bridge and Forty-Fives Social

Which was to have been held by the Rebekahs on Monday evening, Feb. 23, but which was postponed, will take place next Monday evening, at the Oddfellows' Hall.

One of Digby's Oldest Residents Passes

Susan, widow of Benjamin Keen, died last Friday at the advanced age of 96 years. She was a daughter of the late William and Susan (Post) Dunn, and was born in Digby, where she had lived all her life. She leaves three daughters and one son. Katherine, one of the daughters, is in the United States. Mrs. George Foster lives in Smith's Cove; and Mrs. O. S. Dunham, is in the West. Archibald Keen, of Digby is her son. The funeral took place on Tuesday, Rev. E. W. Forbes officiating.

Says Don't Be Worried

To the Editor of the Courier:

This is to say that the piece published in the Courier in December, under the heading "An Extreme Case of Cruelty," was a pack of malice. I am trying to ruin the reputation of a man.

He did this to me, and I would fix me yet, and I would fix me yet.

The party who started the lies has been taking things from me, including gravel and a set of shears he has used for nine years for driving wire. I have never refused any person anything asked for that I could possibly spare.

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Trapped In Their Home By Flames

A despatch telling of an aged couple being burned to death in their home in Belfast, Maine, whose name resembled the name of her sister and husband, Mrs. Alice O'Neill, of Barton, who recently learned by a letter from her niece, Mrs. Mary Foster, that it was they, Mr. and Mrs. O'Neill, who were the victims in the tragedy.

The letter stated that the fire was discovered at 2 o'clock in the morning by a neighbor, Mrs. Rowell, but it was raging so fiercely that she could not enter the house. She got help, and also Mr. and Mrs. O'Neill's two daughters, but nothing could be done to save the aged couple inside the house. After the fire had been extinguished, what was left of Mr. O'Neill's body, a few charred bones, was found in the front room, and Mrs. O'Neill's bones with the flesh all burned off, near the front door.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Neill belonged to Barton but moved to Maine some years ago.

Mrs. O'Neill was 71 years old and Mr. O'Neill about 75. They leave two daughters, Mrs. Mary Foster and Mrs. Blanch Palmer, three sons, Charles, William and James Blaney; and Mrs. Blaney leaves one sister, Mrs. Alice O'Neill, Barton.

Besides the house, the barn and all contents, including one horse, two cows and a flock of hens, were also burned.

Elderly Resident Of Digby Passes Away

The death occurred at her home on Saturday morning, of Mrs. R. C. Monroe. The deceased who was in her 80th year, was born in New Brunswick, and later removed to Digby. She was of a lovable and genial disposition, which had endeared her to a wide circle of friends. Her husband predeceased her 20 years. She was survived by two daughters, Mrs. F. W. Robinson, Digby, with whom she resided; Mrs. Lettie Meagher, Boston; one son, Enos, of Digby; and two sisters in the United States. The funeral was held at Bridgetown on Monday, March 2nd, with interment at that place.

Three Alarms Of Fire In Forty-Eight Hours

Early Wednesday morning about 1.30 o'clock, an alarm of fire was sent in for a bad chimney fire in the residence of William A. Westhaver, and about 6 o'clock the same alarm was sent in for a chimney fire in the residence of Mrs. William Phillips, Carleton street. On Thursday morning, just before noon, the department was called out for a chimney fire at the Dakin house, near the railway crossing. Fortunately but little damage was done in any case.

The Travel Talk On Switzerland

given by Rev. E. W. Forbes, in the Temperance Hall, Smith's Cove, on Friday evening, was greatly enjoyed by the large audience in attendance. The lantern slide pictures were especially clear and pleasing. The musical numbers given by Miss McCree and Mr. Outhouse were much appreciated, also a reading by Miss McCree.

Sermonette for the "Shut-Ins"

"The God of all comfort who comforts us in all our afflictions that we may be able to comfort them that are in any afflictions." 2 Cor. 1:3.

"The God of all comfort"—what music there is about the word, all comfort of every form and kind and aspect. We are passing through affliction; that is to say we are in straits, in tight corners. The way has become narrowed. We are hemmed in by cares or sorrows or temptations. "He comforteth us" in such conditions. Sometimes the comfort comes to us in a secret, mystic ministry which we can never describe. We are feeling very 'down', and life has become very tasteless and dreary. We fling ourselves upon our knees and open our hearts to God. Suddenly the 'desert rejoices' and blossoms to us in a secret, mystic ministry which we can never describe. We are feeling very 'down', and life has become very tasteless and dreary. We fling ourselves upon our knees and open our hearts to God. Suddenly the 'desert rejoices' and blossoms to us in a secret, mystic ministry which we can never describe.

Some of the Comforts of the "Shut-Ins"

Sometimes a comfort is meditated to us through the ministry of one of our fellowmen. The Apostle never allowed the human messenger to come to the Lord who sent him. "God comforteth us by the coming of a kindly service." "God comforteth me by the coming of". Fill up the blank for yourself and recognize the goodness and mercy of God. "He comforteth us in all our afflictions."—2 Cor. 1:3.

And this comfort comes to us—"that we may be able to comfort them which are in any affliction." The Lord comforts us not to make us comfortable, but to make us comforters. Thou hast received the gift of comfort; now to cut and comfort others. They are the expert comforters who have sought and found their comfort in the Lord. They are able to "speak a word in season to them that is weary."

"O give thine own sweet rest to me that I may speak with soothing words in season as from Thee to weary ones in needful hour."

Faithfully yours,
A. E. Gabriel.

Pneumonia Fatal to Riverside Lady

The death, occurred at Riverside on Tuesday, of Mrs. Harold Sabean, after an illness of only a week's duration, of pneumonia. Deceased was before her marriage, Miss Nina Mullen, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. E. Mullen, of New Tusket, and was in her forty-third year. She was a member of the Havelock Reformed Baptist church. Besides the sorrowing husband there are left to mourn, four children, Leigh, Eva, Dorothy and Burgess, all at home; one daughter, Mrs. Floyd Fulton, of Riverside; her sisters, Mrs. Frank Mullen and Mrs. Alfred Hobbs, of New Tusket; Mrs. V. C. Marshall, of Marshelltown; and Mrs. Addie Krouthagen, of Massachusetts; and three brothers, Brenton Mullen, of New Tusket; Robert Mullen, of New Tusket; and Allen Mullen, of Southville.

Mrs. Allen Kinney Dies at Ashmore

Mrs. Allen Kinney died at her home in Ashmore on Tuesday morning at a very short illness (having been about her household duties as usual on Friday), at the age of seventy-four years. She was, before her marriage, Annie, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Dinwiddie, of Weymouth North, and is survived by one daughter, (Myrtle) Mrs. Flin Marshall, and one son, David, both of Ashmore; also one sister, Mrs. Bertha Campbell, of Maine, and one brother, David Sabean, of Haverhill, Mass. She will be greatly missed in the community, and also in the United Baptist church, to which she belonged and attended so faithfully.

Opening of Spring Hats at Miss Chisholm's on Wednesday, March 11.

Tuesday's Freight Was Record One

The freight handled by the Princess Helene on Tuesday constitutes a record for this port. From the time she docked on her arrival from Saint John—a little after ten—until her departure about four she had discharged 146 tons of freight and loaded a return cargo of 154 tons. A large part of the incoming cargo was from the West and destined for Europe, and the outgoing cargo— or a large portion of it—was from Europe and destined for Western ports.

The Women's Guild, of Saint Patrick's Church, will hold a High Tea and forty five party in the Watery Hotel on Tuesday evening, March 17th.

Soangetaha Class Social

There was a good attendance at the Soangetaha Class Social last week, and an enjoyable time. The new class-song was sung for the first time.

SOANGETAHA CLASS SONG
(Tune: "The Bells of St. Mary's")
The Indian legend of young Hla-wah-sha,
We've read of in lands far away long ago,
His skill in all wood-craft, his courage in hunting,
To goodness a friend and to evil a foe.

Chorus:
"The Soangetahas", strong-hearted, strong-hearted,
For Christ and His Kingdom we answer the call.
With young lives, with strong lives we rally, we rally,
We'll serve Him still, and to His will, we'll give our all.

And we in our own day still love that old story,
But Christ is the hero to us it makes known,
We'll make Him our Pattern and Master; His glory
Shall be our ambition, and never our own.

For study and service we're banded together,
The Soangetahas, "strong-hearted" our name.
To do and to dare, and to help one another,
In the service of Christ and His Church is our aim.

So come join our ranks, all you young men and maidens,
You'll find with us friendship and profit and fun,
We gather on Sundays, on Thursdays meet monthly,
There's a welcome for you, and we want everyone.

Brotherhood Of Baptist Church Hold Monthly Meeting

On Thursday evening last over forty men of the congregation of the Baptist Church gathered in the vestry for a supper and social evening. H. M. Warren, B. H. Ruggles and S. M. Raymond, the committee in charge, did their work well. Inspiring and interesting speeches were given by Rev. F. E. Bishop, C. H. Carthy, A. McPherson and others. A double quartette, under the direction of Paul Yates, along with instrumental music by Guy McPherson, Guy McPherson, Jr., and Hedley Dakin, furnished the entertainment. The committee in charge for the next meeting are: C. H. Carthy, R. Weir and G. H. Hinman.

Pleasant Event at Waterville

On Wednesday evening of last week a number of friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fredrick Raymond, Waterville, where a social time was spent in games and music, after which Mrs. Raymond was presented with a very nice gift as a token of appreciation for her services as organist in the United Baptist church, she having faithfully filled that office for twenty-five years. The presentation was made by the pastor, Rev. J. T. Dinwiddie, in his usual good manner. Mrs. Raymond replied, thanking the friends for this tangible expression of esteem. Refreshments were served by the ladies and the evening was brought to a close by the singing of "God Be With You Till We Meet Again."

When a housewife orders a pound of tea from her grocer, the grocer is sure to get her good-will if he sends her Morse's.

TWO NEW MILLS ADDED TO INDUSTRY TRIAL WEYMOUTH

A saw mill has recently been erected in Weymouth by Major Glidden Campbell, for the manufacture of all kinds of lumber, with ample power for additional lines later on. The mill is situated on tide water, close to the bridge, so that logs can be easily brought to it, by water or land, and the finished product shipped out with the minimum of expense. The mill is equipped with a Leonard return tubular boiler and Leonard heavy duty engine. A galvanized iron roof will greatly reduce the fire hazard, and as the mill is situated at least 50 feet from the nearest building no danger need be anticipated from this source. The construction of the mill has given considerable employment, and quite a staff will be engaged in its operation.

The stove mill situated on what was formerly the Pulp Company's pier, has been taken over by R. J. M. Taylor, of the Weymouth Shipping Company, and has been changed into a mill for the manufacture of hard wood products. This mill is run by hydro and employs about ten men. It is of considerable importance to the place by the employment it gives, and also by providing a place for the men to sell their hardwood. This mill has a good situation for shipping its products, either by vessel or train.

Mrs. Ruth A. Porter Dies in Boston Hospital

Mrs. Ruth A. Porter, widow of Maynard Porter, died in a hospital in Boston last week, at the age of 78 years. Death was due to a fall which happened a few days before. Deceased was born in Havelock, and lived there until about thirty-three years ago, when, after her husband's death, she went to Boston to reside with her children. She always kept a great interest in the affairs of her native village, and she almost yearly visits there. She is survived by two sons, William M. Porter, Dorchester, Mass., and Ralph Porter, Montclair, Mass.; and two daughters, Mrs. William McGregor and Mrs. W. B. Nichols, Havelock. The body was brought from Boston and interment took place at Havelock.

REBEKAH LODGE SOCIAL

After the last meeting of Olive Branch Lodge, Weymouth, a social hour was spent, there being a short programme, consisting of piano solos by Mrs. Floyd Potter; vocal solo by Mrs. Reynolds Harris; duet by Mrs. Harrison Jones and Mrs. Potter; readings by Mrs. John Dunkley and the Misses Mildred Amoro and Kathleen Fitzgerald; a duet by Mrs. John Dunkley and Mrs. Potter, and choruses by all. Several kinds of delicious food, nuts and raisins were served by Mrs. G. O. Hankinson, Mrs. Addie Moore, Mrs. C. C. Nichol and Mrs. C. R. Ruggles.

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LOWER GRANVILLE

Howard Croscup, of Paradise, is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Albert Angers.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Covert have returned from their visit at Bridgewater.

The Granville Fireside Industry met at the home of Mrs. Edward Shaffner on Saturday, and a very pleasant and profitable afternoon spent. The members are all very busy hooking beautiful rugs.

Karsdale Resident Passes

The death occurred on Wednesday evening, Feb. 25th, of Sanford Nelson, at the home of his brother, James Nelson, Karsdale, where he had been kindly cared for. The deceased was a son of the late William Nelson and Mrs. Nelson, of Lower Granville. He was sixty-eight years of age, a carpenter by trade, working at his trade for years in the United States. He had been in failing health for the past year. He leaves three brothers, James, Henry and David; and one sister, Mrs. Arthur Baxter, all of Karsdale. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Charles Neish, at the house, and burial was in Christ Church cemetery.

NEW TUSKET

Wilfred Ford had the misfortune to get his foot hurt quite badly recently. A large bar of iron fell on it, but no bones were broken.

Everett Mullen got one of his fingers jammed one day last week. He had to have medical assistance.

D. L. Sabean, who is working in Digby, spent the week-end at his home here.

Stanley W. Sabine, who has been working on Saturday, returned home on Saturday.

Alphonse Thibault, of Hectanooga, is spending some time at the home of William Gaudet. He has been working in Digby lately and got his foot jammed very badly, so is unable to work.

Miss Laura Goudey, who is residing in Easton, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Goudey.

Miss Grace and Donald Goudey spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Mullen, Easton.

Sebra McCollough and daughter, Mildred, who are working in Southville and Riverdale respectively, spent the week-end at their home here.

Colds and la grippe seem to be the order of the day. Many in the vicinity are sick at present.

Mrs. Nelson Sabine and son, Harrison, of Weymouth North, spent Thursday of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Sabean.

Weymouth Notes

Mrs. Harry Wagner is still quite seriously ill.

Mrs. Addie Moore is visiting her sister in Yarmouth.

Floyd Potter is a business visitor to New Brunswick.

Mrs. Calvin Gaudet spent last week in Yarmouth.

L. H. Potter was a business visitor to Digby on Monday.

Mrs. Floyd Potter was a guest of Mrs. Warren Lent on Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Journeay arrived home from a visit to Boston, on Friday.

Charles Kinney, of Ashmore, is recovering from his recent illness.

Mrs. Harold Sabean, of Riverdale, is seriously ill with pneumonia.

A number of the hockey fans of this place attended the game at Digby last week.

Mrs. G. O. Hankinson is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harvey Hickman, in Boston.

Miss Ernestine Amero is visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Toomey, in Kentville.

Miss Hilda Hogan, teacher at Gilbert's Cove, spent the week-end at her home here.

W. R. Harris spent last week in Saint John where he attended the Ford Salesmen School.

Mr. Moore, representative of the Canadian Oil Company, was in town on business on Thursday.

Louis Comeau, travelling representative for Cleveland cars, arrived home on Monday for a few weeks.

Miss Adel Blackadar was taken to the Yarmouth Hospital on Sunday for an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Glidden Campbell and Mrs. G. D. Campbell, sr., were motor visitors to Digby on Monday.

Dr. E. O. Hallett has recently returned home from a visit to his daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) Harmer, in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth C. Woodman, of Digby, were week-end guests of the latter's father, E. F. Hankinson.

Mrs. Alfred Johnson, of Weymouth North, spent last week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Calvin Granville.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Burns, jr., and family, have moved into half of the house known as the "Dwight Jones" house.

Mrs. Harvey Hickman (nee Miss Esther Hankinson) of Boston, is receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

The fishermen have their boats off and are beginning to put out their lobster traps. We wish them a successful season.

James Merkle and C. E. King, of Digby, were in town last week on business in connection with the Masonic Lodge, of that town.

A. D. Sulis, of Smith's Cove, representative of Messrs. Puddington and Cole, Limited, Saint John, was in town on Monday.

Mrs. C. O. Long entertained ten of the ladies of the town at a delightful thimble party, on Friday afternoon, which was followed by afternoon tea.

Mrs. Hastings Taylor entertained the Guild of St. Thomas church, on Thursday afternoon. At the close of the meeting afternoon tea was served by the hostess.

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WHO'S WHO

Hon. W. R. Motherwell

WITH a record of nearly half a century of labor in the interest of farmers and farming industry, Hon. W. R. Motherwell, former Minister of Agriculture for Canada, is a member of the Executive of the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference. When the Exhibition and Conference was organized three years ago Dr. Motherwell, by virtue of his position as head of Canada's Agriculture Department, became the chairman of the National Committee. Recently, upon his retirement from the Dominion Government, he was appointed to the Executive Committee of the World's Grain Show in order that he might continue to give to the forthcoming world-wide event the benefit of his long agriculture experience.

Hon. Mr. Motherwell was born in Lanark County, Ontario, in 1860, and after attending public and collegiate schools in that district took a two years' course at the Ontario Agricultural College. In 1882 he migrated to the West, locating on a homestead in the Abernethy, Saskatchewan district, where at the present time he owns and operates one of the most attractive farms in the West.

Untiring in his efforts on behalf of the farmers of the West in the early days he soon found a place in the public life of Saskatchewan and was elected to the Saskatchewan Legislature for the Province for 13 years. In 1921 he was elected to the House of Commons and entered the government of that day in charge of the agricultural department.

Dr. Motherwell is an honorary member of the British Society of Agriculture. In 1923 he was given the degree of LL.D. from the University of Saskatchewan, and also holds the order of Commander of Agriculture Merit.



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TIVERTON

We congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Harry Watson on the arrival of a son, Feb. 23rd.

Lawrence Bates, who has spent the past weeks here, will return to his home at Freeport this week.

Mrs. Cleveland Elliott has returned from her visit to Digby.

Mrs. Annie Farnsworth, who has been ill during the past few days is improving.

Dys Smith returned home from White Head, G. M., on Sunday.

Clarence Outhouse, who was on the sick list, is improving.

Mrs. Louise Elliott and Miss Marion Clifford have gone to Saint John to enter the General Public Hospital for training.

Earle Outhouse is laid up with a jammed finger.

Miss Sarah Ruggles, of Tiverton, has been spending a short time in town, the guest of her brother, B. H. Ruggles, and Mrs. Ruggles.



Doctor's Diet

Old Doctor Spay was passing by. Some children, pinched and wan; He stopped and smiled. Then asked each child: What he was feeding on. Then shook his head and gravely said: "There's nothing that surpasses (Or tastes so good) that all round food Old fashioned, pure molasses!"

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WESTPORT

Miss Dorothy Thompson has returned from Boston.

Gordon Gower, of Centreville, spent the week-end at his home here.

Wallace Gower, who, underwent an operation at the Halifax Hospital, returned home on Saturday night.

Dr. Rice, of Sandy Cove, was in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hand-spiker, of Mount Pleasant, are guests of their daughter, Mrs. Francis Lent, and Mr. Lent.

Miss Rose McDormand has accepted a position at Digby and left Monday morning for that place.

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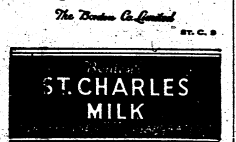
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Drizzle the milk with water and bring to boiling point. Remove from fire. Add bread crumbs and let stand until cool. Stir in the eggs, sugar, butter, salt and flavoring. Pour into a buttered pudding dish, set in a pan of hot water, and bake in a moderate oven about forty-five minutes.

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B. Y. P. U.

Of the social phase of the varied program planned by the B. Y. P. U. for this year, probably the most interesting meeting yet put on, was that which took the form of a Mock Broadcast, from station B-U-N-K, Bear River, broadcasting on a frequency of 40 motorcycles, on Friday evening last, in the Community Hall, Bear River. The meeting was conducted by Group One, with John Evans as leader.

Had it not been known that the programme was a "mock" broadcast, one might almost have believed that the Pickard family were present—mother, dad, Bob, Ruth and Anne—all were there.

Other than the humorous reports on recent news, and weather, the evening's programme consisted of orchestra selections, piano, saxophone, mouth-harp, auto-harp and violin selections: also readings, vocal solos and duets. J. H. Cunningham gave an interesting and educational paper on "Soviet Russia".

The services of Miss Harriet Marshall as accompanist, were very much appreciated.

Television has at last been perfected! The radio audience saw, as well as heard, C. B. Miller taking the part of Dad Pickard, give a tambourine solo which brought the evening's fun to a climax.

The very efficient radio announcer was Rev. A. A. MacLeod, known to the radio audience as Hiram Hamestrap.

BENEFIT SOCIAL

Friendship Lodge, No. 122, I. O. O. F., had a most enjoyable evening on Thursday last, to commemorate the 19th anniversary of the lodge. The opening address was given by C. D. Rice, and this was followed by the grand march, music being furnished by the Darreus Orchestra, of Victoria. A number of old fashioned dances were enjoyed, and many played auction bridge and forty fives. Refreshments were served. The social was brought to a close by singing the National Anthem. The sum of \$27.00 was realized.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

About twenty-five of the young people of the town were delightfully entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Trask on Tuesday evening last, the occasion being Mrs. Trask's birthday. The evening passed quickly in playing games, after which a bountiful repast was served to the guests, a beautifully decorated cake being a pleasing feature of the refreshments. The guests, leaving for their homes, extended many good wishes to their host and hostess. Mrs. and Mr. Trask are occupying the Joseph Weir's property.

INSTITUTE SEWING PARTY

A sewing party will be held on Monday afternoon next, at 3 o'clock, when work will be commenced on articles for the Digby General Hospital Community Chest. The ladies are each asked to bring a donation for this purpose, of towels, linens and other necessary articles. Afternoon tea will be served, for which a charge of ten cents will be made, proceeds to be used for materials. The hostesses will be Mrs. J. H. Cunningham and Mrs. A. G. MacIntyre, the tea being held at the residence of W. G. Clarke.

Local and Personal

Cereno Purdy is on the sick list. Ira Harris is still on the sick list. The family of Frank Dunn are all sick.

Pulton H. Parker left on Tuesday for Boston.

Mr. Ward, of Canning, was in town recently.

Mrs. J. Henry Wright left on Friday for Boston.

Mrs. Chipman Harris is much improved in health.

J. L. Warren is confined to his home through illness.

Mrs. H. C. Anthony is a patient at the Digby Hospital.

Glad to see Mr. Wm. Morgan out, after his recent illness.

Mrs. S. Marshall left on Friday for a short trip to Lawrencetown.

Mrs. Price, of Boston, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Brinton.

The Advent Circle met on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Oakley Banks.

St. John's Guild met on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Simons.

The Royal Division, S. of T., held its regular meeting on Monday evening.

Mrs. Lewis Walker, of Bridgetown, was the guest of Mrs. George Tupper recently.

Mrs. Frank Dittmars, of Deep Brook, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. George Harris.

The Men's Two-Table Bridge Club met on Tuesday evening with Carroll Clarke as host.

Mrs. L. V. Harris was "at home" to her friends on Thursday afternoon of this week.

Mrs. Henry Wright, who has been visiting at Clements, returned home on Thursday.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Balcom on the arrival of a son, February 25th.

Clifford Harris and Cereno Purdy spent Sunday at Clements, guests of Mr. E. R. Potter.

The Senior B. Y. P. U. will hike to Lansdowne on Friday night, and hold a service there.

Capt. Rawling, of Clements, spent Thursday the guest of his sister Mrs. W. D. Chute.

Mrs. (Dr.) Braine, of Annapolis Royal, was the guest of Mrs. Harvey Marshall, on Thursday.

Mrs. Murray Harris entertained the ladies of the United Baptist circle on Tuesday evening.

Miss Hazel Jean Purdy spent the week end at Digby, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Miller.

Mrs. E. H. Harris spent the week end at Digby, the guest of her sister, Mrs. R. A. Miller.

Mrs. William Spurr, of Deep Brook, was the dinner guest of Mrs. Harry Harris on Thursday.

The Ladies' Aid of the United Church met on Tuesday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Howard Green.

Mrs. Norman McCintock received a wire on Saturday, telling of the arrival of Mr. McCintock at England.

Mrs. L. M. Butler returned on Tuesday from a month's visit with friends in New Hampshire and New York.

Walter Harris celebrated his 14th birthday on Friday. He entertained a number of his friends at a supper party.

The Women's Missionary Society, of the United Baptist Church, met with Mrs. Charles Green, on Thursday afternoon.

The "Community Service" held on Wednesday evening in the Oddfellows' Hall, was addressed by the Rev. J. W. Bartlett, of Windsor, N. S.

Mrs. F. W. Sawdon, who has been a patient at the Digby General Hospital for three weeks, returned home on Wednesday, much improved in health.

Be sure to remember the date of the annual Easter Pantry and Apron Sale, of the ladies' circle of the United Baptist Church, on Saturday afternoon, April 4th.

The C. G. I. T. girls of the United Baptist church are holding a pantry sale in the Grand Central sample rooms on Saturday, afternoon (tomorrow). The proceeds will go to the M. R. E. C.

INSTITUTE MEETING

The March meeting of the Women's Institute took the form of a "model meeting", and was held on Monday afternoon, in the Masonic reading room, with an attendance of nineteen. The meeting started promptly at 3:30, and was carried through in excellent form; all the reports of committees being written and presented by the convenors, and other business being transacted most efficiently. A critic was appointed at the beginning of the afternoon, who later reported any errors in procedure, and the members so convicted were sentenced to pay a fine or to perform a "stunt".

The April meeting will be a Shakespeare programme.



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BENEFIT TEA

The benefit tea in aid of W. M. S. work, given by Mrs. F. R. Harris and Mrs. A. B. Marshall, held at the home of Mrs. Harris, was well patronized, the sum of \$11.00 being realized.

Here and There

Production of newspaper paper in Canada in 1930 totalled about 2,500,000 tons, a production considerably greater than that of any other country.

Canada will have a large and attractive exhibit at the Buenos Aires Exhibition, March 14 to April 27. Canadian manufacturers will also be exhibiting their products in the Canadian section.

Hotel accommodation in the Prairie Provinces, according to the latest compilation, is arrived at as follows:—in Manitoba, 285 hotels; in Saskatchewan, 400; and in Alberta, 419.

Portugal is the latest recruit to the forthcoming World's Grain Exhibition and Conference to be held in Regina in the summer of 1932. Eleven other countries have so far notified their intention to show.

Oil production in Alberta is decidedly on the up-grade, according to provincial government figures recently compiled. Total output in 1930 was 1,433,844 barrels compared with 999,162 in 1929.

Placement of 1,500,000 salmon fry and 1,000,000 trout has been made throughout different sections of Nova Scotia, and special trains of which went to the brooks and streams of Annapolis Valley.

Life, fire, accident and other insurance companies collected a total of \$10,356,636 in annual premiums on policies in force in Nova Scotia during the past fiscal year. This represents an increase of nearly \$1,000,000 over the previous year.

A combination of high speed at sea, special rail facilities at Quebec—including a tunnel under the famous battlefields—and special trains to New York and Chicago will shorten the time between London and most Canadian and United States cities by from one and a half to two days.

Freight transportation requirements of the United States are equivalent to hauling 400 billion tons one mile every year and there is no other instrumentality that can handle more than 20 per cent. of these requirements. It was stated recently in an address in New York City.

C. B. Andrews, of Winnipeg, has been appointed district passenger agent at Saint John, N.B., in succession to George S. Boer. Mr. Andrews joined Canadian Pacific service in 1910 and has worked his way up from a clerkship in the superintendent's office at Souris, Manitoba.

Co-operative associations in Canada numbered 1,095 in 1930 with a total membership of 690,685. In 1929 there were 936 of these organizations which reported 512,835 members. They include grain growers, dairy farmers and fruit and vegetable growers in the eastern provinces.

Enrollment in the Saskatchewan Government's correspondence school has now passed the 5,000 mark, according to information received from the office of Premier J. T. M. Anderson, Minister of Education. Applications are still coming in, as many as 43 being received in one day, and up to the present the department has been able to handle all applications.

SCOUT NOTES

At last Thursday's meeting there was almost a perfect attendance and the new term for the Patrol competition commenced.

Walter Harris completed his second term for the Patrol competition for second class badge.

It was decided to hold a Parents' night on Thursday next, at which parents and others interested in scouting are invited to attend. The programme will be a typical "scout meeting" programme, opening with horse and carriage driving through with scout work during the entire session. It is expected to have other badges ready for presentation on this evening.

S. J. Limbrey, Nova Scotia director of scouting, was invited to come to Bear River to put on a short evening Gillwell course for adults, and also an afternoon course for Patrol and Troop leaders.

PORT WADE

Miss McWhinnie returned to Digby on Saturday (after a month's leave of absence) to resume her duties as vice-principal of the Digby academy.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Casey are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a son.

Mrs. Walter Barnes, of Digby, is visiting her mother, Mrs. A. B. Kendall.

Mrs. Beals is spending this week with friends in Digby.

The monthly 15-cent tea and church social was held on Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Ralph Hayden.

Ensign Allen and Lieut. Park, Salvation Army officers of Digby, visited this place on Monday and held a service in the United Baptist church in the evening. They returned the following day.

The Women's Missionary Aid Society met at the home of Mrs. Edward Keans on Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. F. R. Parker gave the lesson and Miss Keans read an interesting letter from her daughter, Miss Lena Keans, missionary in India. These numbers with the regular exercises combined to make it an interesting session.

SMITH'S COVE

W. B. Snow, who has been spending the winter with his family here, left on Tuesday for Parrsboro, where he will resume his work as collector for the British and Foreign Bible Society in Canada and Newfoundland.

On Sunday evening, March 22nd, a lecture will be given in the Baptist vestry. The speaker of the evening will be one who for years, was a pioneer missionary in Africa. Lantern slides will be shown illustrating his work there. A silver offering will be taken for the British and Foreign Bible Society in Canada and Newfoundland, under which he labored during those years, and in whose employ he continues to labor.

The prayer meetings of the Baptist Church are being made a special inspiration and interest to all who attend. It is hoped that many more will avail themselves of this opportunity to receive a blessing.

On Sunday evening, March 15th, under the auspices of the B. Y. P. U., Rev. C. L. Snow will give a lecture (illustrated by lantern slides) entitled, "In His Steps, or What Would Jesus Do?" A silver collection will be taken.

Home Division is looking forward to a large gathering on Wednesday evening, March 17, when they are to have the pleasure of a visit from Royal Division, of Bear River.

John Smith, who has been employed by J. H. Cunningham, arrived home on Saturday.

Mrs. George Weir arrived home from Saint John, Monday.

Mrs. M. D. Woodman and daughter, of Kentville, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Herbert Woodman.

Mrs. E. B. Taylor entertained a number of friends Wednesday evening last.

Miss Edna Cummings, of Annapolis, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Berry, on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cossaboom entertained at forty-fives on Wednesday evening last. The prize winners were Miss Florence Dunn and Mr. Wambolt, of Bear River.

Edward Payson is out again after being confined to his home with "grippe".

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On Sunday evening, March 15th, under the auspices of the B. Y. P. U., Rev. C. L. Snow will give a lecture (illustrated by lantern slides) entitled, "In His Steps, or What Would Jesus Do?" A silver collection will be taken.

Home Division is looking forward to a large gathering on Wednesday evening, March 17, when they are to have the pleasure of a visit from Royal Division, of Bear River.

John Smith, who has been employed by J. H. Cunningham, arrived home on Saturday.

Mrs. George Weir arrived home from Saint John, Monday.

Mrs. M. D. Woodman and daughter, of Kentville, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Herbert Woodman.

Mrs. E. B. Taylor entertained a number of friends Wednesday evening last.

Miss Edna Cummings, of Annapolis, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Berry, on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cossaboom entertained at forty-fives on Wednesday evening last. The prize winners were Miss Florence Dunn and Mr. Wambolt, of Bear River.

Edward Payson is out again after being confined to his home with "grippe".

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cossaboom

and son, Billy are on the sick list. Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon Weir entertained a number at a sing at their home on Monday evening. Refreshments were served by the hostess, and a good time was had by all.

JOGGIN BRIDGE

A number of men held a chopping frolic for John Woodman, on Monday.

Miss Freda Roop, of Smith's Cove and William Roop, of Lansdowne, spent the week end at the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roop.

A community "sing" was held at the home of Spurgeon Weir on Monday evening. There was a good attendance.

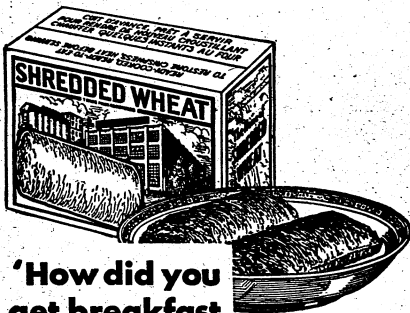
LECTURE

Rev. C. P. Henderson gave the people of Bear River East a very enjoyable evening on Thursday last, when he presented the Bible pictures, "The Creation", accompanied by a most interesting lecture.

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Mrs. Clarence V. Henshaw and family wish to express their thanks to all their friends for their many expressions of love and sympathy during their recent sad bereavement.

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IN MEMORIAM—In sad and loving memory of our mother and grandmother, Laura Outhouse, Tipton, N. S., who fell asleep March 11, 1930.

Just one year ago, dear mother, since you closed your eyes in rest; how much we miss and mourn you. No one but ourselves know how our lives cannot tell how we loved her.

As we journey along life's way.
—Inserted by Mr. and Mrs. Merrill P. Outhouse and family, and Mrs. Blanchard Outhouse. 31 1ip

FOR SALE—The farm property recently occupied by Frederick J. Thibault, located on the western side of the Main Road, leading from Digby to Weymouth. The farm consists of 23 acres of land and farm buildings. Can be purchased by paying reasonable amount down and the balance on easy terms. For further particulars apply to Frank W. Nichols, Digby, N. S. 29 8ic

FOR SALE—105-acre farm at Mt Pleasant, Digby County, about 1 1/2 miles from Digby, including a wagon house and eight-room dwelling; two wells; ground under good cultivation; approximately 60 acres pasture and wood land; all farming tools if required. Apply to Harry O. Vantassel, Mount Pleasant, Digby County, N. S. 31 1ic

FOR SALE—One Organ, in good condition. Apply to Courier of Digby, N. S. 31 1ip

FOR SALE—One Horse, weighs about 1300; good worker and free driver; in good condition and without a blemish; perfectly kind; works well in double harness; will consider young cow or stock in exchange. Apply to "Horse", care Courier, Digby, N. S. 31 1ic

FOR SALE—Well known tourist hotel, The Hillcrest, Digby, Nova Scotia; all improvements; fully furnished; two-car garage; one and one-half acres grounds; fruit trees. Terms upon request. Apply Box 364, Digby, N. S. 30 1ic

FOR SALE at Lansdowne—Farm consisting of 130 acres, 25 acres under cultivation, the remainder fenced for pasture; brook running through pasture and good wells on place; house built for two families; small orchard on place. Selling owing to ill health. Any reasonable price will be accepted. Apply to George V. Banks, Box 202, Bear River. 30 8ip

FOR SALE—One Trapping Boat and Engine, box stern, 22 feet over all, and four-horse power engine. The boat is under cover and in good condition. — Mrs. Herbert Daley, Culloden, Digby Co. 30 3ip

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Weymouth and Vicinity

Colin Manzer, of Ashmore, recently returned home from a visit to Boston.
Capt. H. B. Fitzgerald, of Weymouth North, was a motor visitor to Digby on Friday. Simon Sabean, who is employed at South Range, spent the week-end at his home in Ashmore.

Miss Flora McAlpine, of Hassetts, was a guest of her friend, Miss Carrie Brooks, Weymouth North, on Sunday.

Mrs. Isabell Harrise, of Charleston, Mass., is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Lent and Mr. Lent, Weymouth North.

Mrs. William Lent entered the sewing circle of the United Baptist church, on Tuesday evening.

Maurice Sabean, of Digby, was a week end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Daley Raymond, Weymouth North.

Dwight Seaban, who is working in Digby, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Sabean, New Tusket.

Mrs. James Durin and Miss Hazel Barr, of Harlem, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Daley Raymond, Weymouth North.

Mrs. C. L. Coggin and Miss Dorothy Coggin, and Ruberta Ross, of Weymouth, were guests of the former's mother, Mrs. George Doty.

A number of the men of Ashmore had a hauling frolic on Tuesday last for Alex. Lombard to help him get out his wood, as he has recently lost his horse.

Miss Lillian Doty, travelling representative of the Kardex Company, Halifax, was a recent guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Doty, Weymouth North.

Vera and Wallace Mullen, who are attending school at Weymouth North, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Mullen, at New Tusket.

Wilfred Ford, of New Tusket, had the misfortune to get his foot jammed quite badly and is confined to the house. Everett Mullen, of the same place, hurt his finger badly recently.

The ladies of the Sewing circle of the Ashmore United Baptist church, held a very enjoyable social evening at the home of Mrs. Herbert Kinney recently. A small sum of money was raised.

St. Peter's Guild, Weymouth North, met in the Guild hall as usual on Tuesday afternoon. At the meeting the W. A. quilt which they were quilting to go in the missionary bale, was completed.

On Saturday afternoon a number of the ladies of St. Peter's Guild, Weymouth North, started quilting on another of the W. A. quilts, which is to be sent to the Indian mission fields. The quilting was done in the Guild Hall.

The Young Men's Bible Class of the United Baptist church, Weymouth North, met at the parsonage on Friday evening, as usual. All young men of the place are cordially invited to attend the meetings of this class.

The Pathfinder C. G. I. T. group of Weymouth North, met with Mrs. Eva Wendell on Friday evening. After the business period a study was made of the following "Girls Who Have Made Good": Anna Howard, Alice Freeman Palmer, Gertrude Bell, Sarojine Naider and Rosa Bonheur. The girls then made scrap books and other things to go in a missionary bale.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Kate MacConnell, who is spending the winter with her sister, Mrs. Johnson Grant, at Weymouth North, is recovering from her recent illness. Also that Mrs. Mussels, who is spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. H. M. Journeay, is also much improved in health.

NOTICE TO READERS

Any reader of this paper, who has friends living away from home, should read this:

We are compiling a list of names and addresses of people from the sections served by this paper living away, with a view to occasionally sending them copies of this paper, free of any charge whatsoever, that they may see some of the home news. Any reader of this paper who will send us the names and addresses of any people that they know, residing in other parts of Nova Scotia, Canada, or the United States, can be assured that we will send this paper absolutely free of charge for a month, so that the people away from home may get the home news for that period. There will be no charge to the reader sending us the

RIVERDALE

Mrs. Roxanna Sabine has returned home after visiting relatives and friends in New Brunswick.

Misses Grace Marshall and Hilda Wagner spent the week-end with their friend, Miss Esther Wagner, near New Brunswick.

George Burgoine has returned home from Westport.

Miss Mildred McCullough, who is staying with her grandfather, Augustus McCullough, spent Sunday at her home in New Tusket.

Mrs. Alfred Cosman spent a few days last week with her daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Smith, Harlem.

Misses Edith Cosman, Mary Wagner and Grace Marshall spent Thursday evening last week at the home of Miss Hilda Wagner.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Wagner also Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Wagner spent Sunday evening at the home of LeRoy Wagner, who is confined to the house with a severe attack of rheumatism.

Mrs. Harold Sabine is quite ill at time of writing.

Tea and Pantry Sale Under Auspices of V. O. N.

An afternoon tea and pantry sale for the benefit of the Local Branch of the Victorian Order of Nurses will be held on Saturday, March 14, in Fred. Robinson's restaurant. Everybody is invited to attend and assist in the promotion of the public health work of this order. Mrs. Morris and Mrs. Lockward are the conveners.

The monthly meeting of the V. O. N. will be held on Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, in the court house.

Hostess Next Week
Mrs. H. L. Woodman

Owing to the unfavorable weather there was a small attendance at the Hospital Sewing Circle held at the home of Miss Edna Adams, Mrs. H. L. Woodman will be the hostess for next Wednesday afternoon and the usual large attendance is hoped for. The monthly business meeting, which was postponed from this week, will be held at 2 o'clock at Mrs. Woodman's home, preceding the circle.

Died At Centreville

The death of Neta M. wife of Cecil Dakin, occurred at her home, Centreville, on Saturday last. She is survived by her husband and two small children, Doris and Freddie; also her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Pyne; two sisters, Mrs. Harry T. Dakin, of East Ferry; and Mrs. Alfred Sanderson, of Waterford; and four brothers, Elsworth, Bucher, Charles and Alston, all of Centreville.

The Canadian Maritime Provinces have had a good deal to complain in the last few years, but perhaps things are going to change. For the month of December, 1930, the birth rate in Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island jumped 20 per cent. over the year preceding; and the Down Easters are beginning to recall with some exultation the pre-war German doctrine that in the long run the region where the stork roosts oftenest, rules its neighbors.

The Water Tower C.G.T. group of the Digby Baptist Church, gave a surprise party on Tuesday evening in honor of Misses Rena and Vera Marshall, who are soon going away. An enjoyable evening was spent in playing games, after which refreshments were served. At the close Miss Harriet Campbell presented both Rena and Vera with a gift.

The America-France Line steamer McKeesport, Captain Walton Peters, of Westport, commander of the line, sailed from Harve this week for New York. She loaded part cargo at Dunkirk.

Mrs. Wallace Bruce, of Tupperville, is the guest of Mrs. C. P. Mullen, Warwick Street.

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Hudson-Teed—At the Baptist Parsonage, Shelburne, N. S., on February 20th, 1931, by Rev. T. O. DeWolfe, Cecil E. Hudson and Irene M. Teed, both of Digby, N. S.

addresses, nor to the party to whom we send the paper. There will be no obligation of every kind. It might be that these people living away from home after seeing the paper for a month or so, would like to have it come regularly and if so we would arrange with them, accordingly. Please address the office of this paper.

NOTICE

The annual meeting of the Digby Red Ravens' Hockey Club will be held in the Town Hall on Monday evening, March 9th, at 8 o'clock. All players are requested to be in attendance. Also all persons interested in hockey are invited to attend this meeting.

Personal Mention

Arthur L. Robinson returned home from Boston on Tuesday. Miss Florence Wallis, who has been spending two weeks in Montreal, returned on Saturday.

G. B. Andrews, who has recently received the appointment of District Passenger Agent for the C. P. R., at Saint John, was in town on Monday.

Miss Lois Walker, of Halifax, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Walker. Miss Walker had the misfortune to fall and break a wrist recently.

Clare Boston, one of the four survivors of the wreck of the Grace Hankinson and Ruby L. I., arrived on Saturday, to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Boston, on the M. V. Kipawo.

Middleton Man Dies of Pneumonia

Carman Cummings, son of Norman and Mrs. Cummings, a well-known barber, and one of the most highly respected citizens of Middleton, died Friday of pneumonia, following a short illness from influenza. He was 38 years old, active in the Baptist Church, and prominent in all branches of Oddfellowship. He is survived by his wife and one daughter, his parents, four brothers and three sisters. One of the brothers is R. M. Cummings, of Digby, and the deceased was well known here.

Five Calves in Two Years

Augustus Purdy of Deep Brook is the owner of a cow which evidently does not believe in birth control, as she has produced five calves inside of two years. On April 8th, 1929, she produced a pair of twins, male and female. Last April she dropped a fine bull calf, and on March 1st she presented her owner with a fine pair of twin heifers, making a total of five in less than 23 months, which is a record breaker for Annapolis County, if not for the Province of Nova Scotia.

The Salvation Army will hold its anniversary supper, on Monday, March 23rd, at 7 o'clock. Admission will be 40 cents.

KEMPTVILLE

Miss Atlanta Clarke spent the week-end at Sand Beach, the guest of Miss Eleanor Hopkin.

A number of young people enjoyed a dance at the home of Mrs. Walton on Friday evening.

Relatives and friends here were saddened to learn of the death of Jacob Hamilton, at Pubnico, and extend sympathy to the bereaved family.

Arthur Crowell with his wood-saw is sawing up some of the wood-piles in the neighborhood.

On Sunday Evening, Dr. Henry Van Dyke's "The Other Wise Man," was presented in the United Baptist Church to a large congregation.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Institute was held at Mrs. Edgar Hurlbert's on Monday Evening.

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DEEP BROOK

B. H. A. Rice is at present confined to his home.

J. R. Berry spent the week-end guest of his daughter, Mrs. Aubrey Sanford, and Mr. Sanford, at Torbrook.

Glad to know that Mrs. C. G. Harris is out again after her recent illness.

The Dorcas Society met on Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. J. M. Nichols.

The meeting for prayer in connection with the Baptist Church, met with Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Purdy.

The Lenten service was held at the Anglican Church, Wednesday at four o'clock.

The many friends of Mrs. Carl Nichols, will be sorry to know that her mother, Mrs. Wm. McFadden, of Clementsport Heights, who has been spending the winter with her children in Lynn, Mass., has fallen and dislocated her hip. She is at present in the General Hospital, Lynn.

V. O. N. Issues Important Health Note

Digby is known as a town of few mosquitoes; let us go still further and make it a town of no mosquitoes! Empty tin cans thrown on the dump, fill with water, and provide breeding places for these pests. It would greatly benefit the public health of the community if housewives, after emptying the cans of their contents, would puncture holes in the bottom of them. In this way they would do away with at least one more breeding place for these pests.

By burning out the tins before throwing them away much would be done toward ridding the town of another enemy to public health—the common house fly.

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Digby Academy Principal Appointed

F. Courtney Purdy, senior student at Mount Allison, Sackville, has been appointed as principal to the Digby Academy, for the school year 1931-32. Mr. Purdy will receive his B.Sc. at the next Convocation at Mount Allison and is very strongly recommended by the President, Dr. Treuman.

The present principal has intimated his desire to terminate his association with the Digby Academy at the end of the present school year, having held the position for three years.

Miss E. McWhinnie, the Vice-Principal, will in all probability continue in her position, and the vacancy occasioned by the termination of E. M. Oakes, at the end of the year, will be filled by the appointment of Mrs. Josephine Driffield, a teacher of much experience. The remaining teachers have expressed their desire to continue for next year, and the School Board feels that the teaching staff for the ensuing year will be very satisfactory.

Raymond Winchester was in town on Tuesday.

CLEMENTSVALE

Major A. Bremner was called to Windsor, Hants Co., recently, owing to the death of his sister-in-law.

Post-Mistress, Miss Edith Baird, was absent from her duties on Monday last, on account of illness. Mrs. Howard Wright acted as her substitute.

Mr. and Mrs. E. MacDormand and little daughter, Joan, of Annapolis Royal, spent Sunday with her parents, V. A. and Mrs. Long.

R. Pierce, (blacksmith) has returned from Halifax.

LeRoy Pully, of Victoria, is a guest of relatives in this village.

Princess Helene Carrying Heavy Freights

During the past week the Canadian Pacific steamer, Princess Helene, has carried some of the heaviest freights in the history of that company's Saint John-Digby service. Many of her cargoes have been well over three hundred tons. The new elevators have speeded up the handling of the heavy freight considerably, although we are given to understand that a call for more men was sent out on Wednesday.

MRS. ROBERT AUSTIN CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

There lately appeared in the Halifax Herald a portrait of our good citizen, Captain Robert Austin, of Smith's Cove, who has just celebrated his 89th birthday. In this day of the ascendancy of the feminine, we are not minded to omit the record of the celebration of the birthday, last Friday, of his good wife, Catherine Potter Austin, who then rounded out her 85th year.

Not long since they celebrated their 65th wedding anniversary. This is a "record" of itself.

There were eighteen friends and relatives present in the Austin home on the occasion of the birthday party, and there was music, and a cake, and there was merrymaking. This number, however, was a very small part of the family, not counting the host of friends who were not present. Mrs. Austin has living, a son and four daughters, eleven grandchildren, and eleven great-grandchildren, in Smith's Cove, Digby, and Weymouth.

But a further reason for noting this gathering, is the high esteem in which Mrs. Austin (Aunt Cassie) is held in that community, and by all who know and love her. She is one of the few remaining of the last generation in that county and community, and a recollection which goes back to 1846 covers a long period of Canadian and local history, and has carried forward into this careless and worldly age the best traditions of health, industry, refinement, neighborliness, and home-making of the vanishing Victorian era, with its Colonial New England background preserved in song and story.

She can relate tales of the pioneers of this Basin, long before there were railroads or summer tourists. I have spoken of health, for Mrs. Austin has inherited that Nova Scotia constitution enjoyed by those who live the right kind of country life, and is as active in helpful household duties as she has ever been, with no thought of folding her hands in an admitted old age, however much she may deserve to rest and allow others to wait upon her.

Active in mind and body, and with a heart full of sympathy for old or young who bespeak it, we offer this tribute of affection and respect to her at this time, and wish her as many more birthdays as she may be vouchsafed the strength to enjoy. The writer knows of no one in Smith's Cove the thought of whose loss from among us would be more instinctively repudiated with dread, as of losing a plank from our flooring, or a pillar from our house.

Government Aid for Digby Asked in the Assembly

Government aid in reconstruction work in Digby, to repair the damages done by the recent storm, was asked in the Legislature on Tuesday by A. S. MacMillan, member for Digby and house leader of the Opposition. He said the work would cost thousands of dollars, and, after asking Premier Harrington what the government proposed to do, suggested that some of the money in the unemployment relief fund might be spent to better advantage in Digby than anywhere else.

The Premier replied that the Mayor of Digby had already raised this question. He thought all the available unemployment relief money had been allotted under contract. The town and municipal councils were conferring in regard to the matter, however, and the government awaited the outcome of the conference.

United Baptist Church Services

The services on Sunday will be as follows:

11 a. m.—Digby

2 p. m.—Hill Grove

7 p. m.—Digby

Sunday School at 12:10

Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock.

A male choir will furnish music on Sunday evening.

The Ladies' Sewing Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Mae Morse on Tuesday evening.

Personal Mention

W. E. Tupper, of Sydney on official business.

Paul Kollins spent the week end in town, with friends.

R. S. Shreve, of Halifax, was a visitor in town on Friday.

Mr. M. A. Condon, of Kentville, is visiting his husband.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Campbell spent the week end in Saint John.

H. T. Warne has returned from the South, where he has spent the last few weeks.

Mr. Fraser, D. A. R. relief agent, has been at the local staff for an indefinite period.

Mrs. Mae Winchester spent Wednesday in Yarmouth, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harvey.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Lent spent Sunday in Weymouth North, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Lent.

A Douglas Gibson, of Smith's Cove, is visiting in Halifax, and is registered at the Carlton Hotel.

Miss Jean Anderson spent the week end with her parents, returning to her studies at Acadia, on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Collins, who have been spending the winter in the United States, returned home this week.

Dr. and Mrs. Dickie returned home on Tuesday, from their trip to the South, as did also Mr. and Mrs. O. Wright.

Mrs. Ralph Cummings and daughter, Edna, attended the funeral of the late Carman Cummings, at Middleton, returning on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Comeau, who have been visiting the latter's mother, in Amherst, returned to their home in Weymouth on Tuesday.

Miss Ruby Chisholm, who has been attending the millinery openings, returned home last week. She was one of the passengers on the Princess Helene, anchored off in the Basin during the storm.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Farnham announce the engagement of their daughter, Elta Borden Farnham, to Jesse H. Morris, of San Benito, Texas. The marriage will take place in New York at an early date.

On Tuesday Rev. F. E. Bishop received word of the death of his brother's wife, Mrs. A. M. Bishop, of Berwick. Mr. and Mrs. Bishop went to Berwick on Wednesday to attend the funeral service. They will return today.

Miss MacLellan, who has been filling a temporary position on the school staff, as vice-principal, returned to her home in Inverness on Monday. Miss MacWhinnie, who was on leave of absence has resumed her position.

Mrs. Charles F. Lewis, of Saint John, is visiting her mother, Mrs. George H. Holdsworth, who is a passenger via the S. S. Princess Helene, on Wednesday last, but unable to land until Friday morning; she reports a pleasant time notwithstanding the trying conditions.

John McMillan, president of the Canadian Pacific Telegraph Lines, was a visitor to Digby on Saturday en route to Saint John.

Mr. McMillan has made a complete inspection of the lines, and predicts the speeding up of the service between Yarmouth and Saint John through the means of a direct wire between these two important points.

Father And Son Banquet Next Tuesday

The meeting of the Grace United Church Brotherhood will be held on Tuesday evening, in the Hall. It will take the form of a Father and Son Banquet. The men of the congregation are expected to be present and bring their sons with them or some other boy. A good programme of toasts and music is being prepared.

Though his studio was in danger, Paul Yates managed to get some fine views of the storm at its height, and the ruins left behind it.

Don't forget Dancing at the Ocean Gardens every Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings.

The Plympton Free Public Library

Plympton Free Public Library was founded by the Women's Institute, in May 1923, with the gift of fifty books by the convener who for some time called it the "Travelling Library", as there seemed to be no place where it could stay very long. The late Alex. McDonald let us place the books free of charge, in a part of his store, not in use at that time. The following spring the store was rented and we had to find a new home for the library. Through the kindness of Joseph H. Potter, we moved our books in a building owned by him, until such time as he would need it.

In November of that year, Mr. Potter needed his building, and as we had no other place for our library, the books were stored for the winter in the store of the late F. P. Warner.

In the spring H. W. B. Warner came to our rescue by loaning us a building owned by him, where we remained until the late W. K. Smith bought a building and piece of land for a permanent home for the Woman's Institute and Free Library. In December 1929, electric lights were installed in the building by Mrs. J. F. Pension, of Lynn, Mass., in memory of her father and mother who had passed away a few months before. Both Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Smith were untiring in their efforts for the good of the Institute and library. In the meantime the library was slowly growing by books donated by friends.

During the past year, the library has received a gift of one hundred and three books from the Rev. A. W. S. Garden, rector of the Immanuel Church of Pittsburgh, U. S. A.; also a gift of one hundred and seventy books from Miss Clara O. McGovern, of Saint John. The number of books in the library at the present time is 956.

A much needed gift of an up-to-date loose leaf catalogue in leather binding, was received from C. E. Thomas, of Montclair, N. J.

Trinity Parish Bulletin

Service to-night at 7:30 o'clock with an address on "The Woman of Sacrifice".

Immediately following the service there will be a choir rehearsal in the Parish Hall. The Good Friday Cantata "Olivet to Calvary" to be presented in the Bijou Dream Theatre on Good Friday, April 3rd, promises to be a rare musical treat and something new to Digby in the manner of presentation—the choir will sing while the story of the Crucifixion is being told on the screen. The soloists will be Mrs. Gorange, whose rich mezzo-soprano voice has won for her much praise; Miss Frances Phillips, Digby's best soprano, who will sing the opening number of each scene in the first part of the story of the Crucifixion; Mr. Chesterman, of Annapolis, a baritone of wide range and pleasing quality, will sing the bass solos. C. Whitman, of Annapolis, and C. J. Holder, formerly of the Royal Bank staff here, will assist.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary will be held at the residence of Miss E. Adams, Wednesday evening of next week, at 8:15 o'clock.

The services on Sunday will be as follows:—

9 a. m.—Holy Communion at Marshalltown.

11 a. m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon, subject: "The Virgin Birth".

12 Noon—Sunday School and Bible Class.

3 p. m.—Evensong at Ross-way.

7 p. m.—Evening Prayer and Sermon, subject: "The Law of Liberty".

Owners and Town. Come to Agreement.

The town authorities have been very much encouraged in their efforts to secure the refusal of the water frontage between the Salvation Army barracks and the present town property at the band stand. The owners of all the lots except two have quoted very reasonable figures, and it is likely the expenditure will call for less money than was at first anticipated.

KEMPTVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ring spent a week recently with their son, Lloyd E. Ring, and family. Mrs. Dora Nickerson spent a few days recently with Mr. and Mrs. Randall Jeffrey.

Clifford Hurlburt has gone to Argyle to visit his sister, Mrs. Andrew Gavel, and Mr. Gavel.

Dexter Randall, who has been on the sick list for the last two weeks, is slowly improving.

Conrad Hamilton is very ill with pleurisy at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Prosser, of Hebron, but formerly of Kemptville, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, March 11th.

The ladies' sewing circle met with Mrs. Harry Prosser, on Thursday afternoon. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Miss Kathleen Reeves, of Halifax, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. David Randall, has returned to her duties at the Department of Motor Vehicles, Halifax.

Storm Damage At Westport

Damage to the extent of twenty-five thousand dollars was caused along the water front here by the recent heavy storm. Practically all the breastwork was destroyed. Water street was flooded and in some places the street is washed away making it almost impassable. The shop owned by Steve Comeau was carried away with his lobster traps, buoys and bait. Other shops were washed down, but contents saved. Practically all the wharves were washed away or considerably damaged. The streets are littered with rock, wood, rocks, lobster bait and wreckage of all kinds.

The Victorian Order of Nurses

Everybody is invited to attend the Afternoon Tea and Fanny Crosby Sale, to be held tomorrow afternoon, at Mr. Robinson's restaurant, for the benefit of the Victorian Order of Nurses. Kindly send in your contributions.

On Monday Miss MacFarlane, V. O. Nurse, will again take up her residence at Cosy Cottage, Telephone 146.

During the second week in April it is expected that Paul Kollins will give a V. O. N. benefit entertainment, of which further notice will be given.

The committee acknowledge with thanks donations of money from Mrs. Lynch, Miss Agatha Stewart, and a Friend, and of old linen and clothing from Mrs. Hogg, Mrs. Green, Mrs. Morrall, Mrs. T. J. Harris, Mrs. Lockwood, a Friend, and the Red Cross.

Nurse's Report for February

Patients 15

Nursing Visits 54

Clinics and Classes Held 8

Child Welfare Visits 5

School Inspection Visits 169

School Children Inspected 9

Home School Miscellaneous Visits 24

Total Visits 181

No. Attending Mothercraft Class 12

Amount Received in Fees \$15.25

Fanny Crosby Song Service Much Enjoyed

The Fanny Crosby song service in the Grace United Church was much appreciated by the large congregation present.

There were twenty-seven in the choir. Nine of the hymns of the blind hymn-writer were sung and her favourite Psalm and New Testament chapter were read as scripture lessons.

A PUBLIC MEETING

of the
Ratepayers of the Town of Digby

will be held in
The Court House

on
Monday the 16th Day of March

1931 at 8 p. m.
To Vote on the following Resolutions:

"That the Town Council of the Town of Digby be authorized to expend a sum not exceeding Thirty Thousand Dollars for necessary Breastwork on Water Street and at the Racquette;

Also a sum not exceeding Seven Thousand Five Hundred Dollars for Water Street Sewer;

Also a sum not exceeding Three Thousand Dollars for the purchase or expropriation of the Water Lots on Water Street;

Also a sum not exceeding Four Thousand Dollars for Water Construction already made and for which an overdraft is carried;

That the Resolution of the Ratepayers' Meeting of 23rd of April, 1928, be varied to include Electric Light Extension in other parts of the Town;

That Debentures of the Town of Digby be made and issued therefor, and that an ACT or ACTS of the Legislature be obtained authorizing the same.

Only those persons who are assessed for Real or Personal Property or Income in the said Town of Digby for the year 1930, shall be entitled to vote thereat.

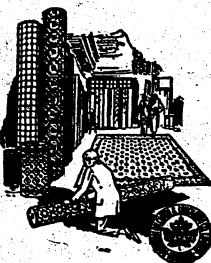
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COMMUNITY ENTERPRISES

As members of one great family called the town of Digby, we should be interested in all community enterprises. Many of our local institutions affect us all for good or ill and we should all lend a sympathetic ear to their appeals for moral and financial support. There is an old fashioned idea among good people that a man could live for himself alone, and we still have representatives of that class. They contribute little or nothing for community purposes, are not interested in local politics and as long as they are personally happy and prosperous have no anxieties about the welfare of others. Happily this selfish, self-centered class of citizens is gradually disappearing.

We now have many men and women who think it a duty to work without pay on the directorates of organizations working for the public good. There is a regrettable practice among people who do nothing for their town of sneering at these community workers. The workers of the Board of Trade sacrifice their time and energy without pay for the benefit of the town. They should be appreciated, praised and encouraged. The task often seems thankless. Any citizen with a sense of responsibility will take the opportunity occasionally to tell these hard working community workers that he appreciates their sacrifices.

We all owe a duty towards the churches whether we attend them or not. Some of our home-keeping youth who Shakespeare says have homely lives have never lived in a churchless town. Such places are not fit to bring up children in, in fact they are not fit to live in. We should all be sympathetic to our churches. Roger W. Babson occasionally tells us what religion and morality contribute toward business stability and prosperity. Our churches are assets and should be carefully preserved and helped. A public spirited citizen will never disparage them and will always do what he can for them. We should encourage those fellow citizens who have the forward look and wish Digby to be bigger and better ten years from now.

IS IT NECESSARY?

The management of the Courier appreciates very much to have readers' phone personals, classified ads and other interesting items of news to the paper, but we wonder if people realize just how unnecessary it is for them to insist that these items be phoned personally to the editor? The Courier prides itself on its capable staff, any of whom can be trusted to take these items over the telephone, in fact that is part of their duties.

The editor has many things to attend to and it also takes up a lot of time on the part of the members of the staff when they have to chase all over creation to find him just so he can take down some trivial item or look up a subscription. We ask our readers to take this into consideration in the future and feel that they will give us their whole co-operation in this matter.

Of matters of unusual importance it is different—in such cases ask for the Editor, but for church notices, personals, locals, etc., let some member of the staff take it down—and incidentally, the girls in the office know more about your subscriptions than the Editor himself.

ABOUT COLDS

(Bangor Commercial)
It is a fairly well established fact that colds are contagious and are caused by the coryza germs coming in contact with the mucous membranes of the nose and throat where, if conditions are favorable for them, they multiply rapidly and cause serious inflammation of the membrane areas affected. Since most of us come into daily contact with a large num-

ber of people while mingling with the crowds on the street, in stores and theatres, it is obvious that we are subject to infection many times each day by simply breathing the air that contains the germs. The source of infections is constantly active, and our immunity from ailments of this nature depends almost wholly upon the degree of resistance to the onslaughts of disease germs which we have built up in our body.

This bodily resistance to infection is attained mainly in two ways at present. The first and most important is to eat plenty of good, wholesome food and get a regular and sufficient amount of sleep. Refuse to worry, and exercise some each day in the open air. The second method that has proved out in some cases is the hyperdermic inoculation with anti-coryza vaccine, a rather more painful way of accumulating resistance and not necessary if the general health is kept good.

CANADIAN GIRLS IN TRAINING

(By Eunice M. Tyhurst, Maritime Girls' Work Secretary.)

The aim of those who lead Canadian Girls in Training is that they may grow into the fullness of their own lives. The movement does not attempt to compete with the major factors of a girl's life—home, school, church and community—but rather to supplement them and to help the girls to become more aware of their significance.

Except in special situations, a group of Canadian Girls in Training (Intermediates age 12-15, Seniors 15-17) is the Sunday School class which meets also during the week. The group is organized and registered, at the beginning of each autumn, in the M. R. E. C. office, after which it receives the "Torch" (the magazine of the movement), letters from the girls' work secretary, and other communications from time to time. It has access to materials that are especially prepared for 'teen age girls—little books on every phase of the programme and insignia for the C. G. I. T. costume. A small lending library too is at the disposal of all leaders of registered groups.

Although the group experience is basic in this movement there are other less continuous activities that are valuable and more conspicuous. These are: summer camps, week-end conferences, rallies, special activities undertaken through the co-operation of several groups.

Girls' work in the Maritime Provinces is carried on through the following organization: A provincial girls' work board for each of the three provinces, local leaders' councils and girls' work boards, senior and intermediate girls' councils. The executive secretary travels throughout the Maritime Provinces for the purpose of assisting leaders and girls.

In 1930 Canadian Girls in Training in the Maritime Provinces regretted the resignation of Miss Hilda Allen, as their secretary. Saying "good-bye" is never a very cheerful occasion, especially when it is to a good personal friend as leader. But the readiness with which they have welcomed a new-comer to this work in the Maritimes has made her difficult beginnings very happy, and she appreciates it greatly.

1930 Statistics	
No. of registered groups	445
No. of girls	4779
No. of centres of work	148
No. of local girls' work boards	2
No. of Leaders' Councils	10
No. of Girls' Councils	8

Week-end Conferences —
Truro 150, Moncton 350 girls (approximate, but not exaggerated).

Attendance at Camps in 1930—
Prince Edward Island 45, Wallace, N. S., Senior 31, Wallace, Intermediate 57, Pinehurst, N. S., 38, Chipman, N. B., Senior 63, Chipman, Intermediate 49, Cape Breton, 32, Chaleur, N. B., 40, Moore's Mills, N. B., 56.

DEEP BROOK

A delightful children's party was enjoyed at the home of Mrs. Harry Vroom, on Saturday, when her daughter, Marjorie, entertained ten of her little pals, the occasion being her tenth birthday. Games were played, and refreshments served.

Mrs. Carl Nichols has received word that her mother, Mrs. McFadden, is seriously ill at Lynn, Mass.

Digby Winchester is back at the D. A. R. station, after five months' leave of absence.

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CLEMENTSVALE MEMORIAL FUND

Clementsvale is another place which will soon be added to those who have already erected a monument to pay tribute in honor of their "departed heroes" who gave their lives in "The World War". "They loved honor more than they feared death."

The approximate sum of \$150 has already been realized for this purpose, and in order to increase this fund, the Clementsvale people are having on one evening of each week, a "Benefit Social Gathering", at either the hall or various homes. Proceeds are for this splendid object. The objective will no doubt be secured in a short time, as shown by their confidence in their success and their efforts and interest they are taking in securing the amount needed.

A most beautiful way of paying tribute in honor of their loved ones, who are "gone but not forgotten".

"Twas just before the battle, boys,
That day I'll ne'er forget,
A lad beside me in the trench as brave as I have met;
Tho' death was near, he had no fear,
'Twas very plain to see,
For just before the battle charge
He smilingly said to me:
If I am not at the roll call
After the fighting is done,
Won't you be kind to my mother,
Just for her soldier son,
Tell her I know how she loves me
And prays for me constantly,
May angels attend her, brave comrade friend her,
And kiss her goodbye for me."

WEDDINGS

Miller—Isner

At five o'clock Tuesday afternoon the United Church, Bedford, was the scene of a wedding in which many people of the province, and other parts of the province, felt a special interest, and for which the pretty little church was thronged, a large party of friends going out from the city. The principals in the ceremony, in performing which Rev. M. H. Macintosh was assisted by Rev. Dr. A. L. Huddleston, pastor of the First Baptist Church, were Marion Anne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Arthur Isner, of Bedford, and V. Lorne Miller, elder son of Mrs. Miller and the late Dr. V. L. Miller, of Halifax, two young people who enjoy the high regard of all who know them. Since announcement was made of their engagement there have been a round of parties in honor of the bride-to-be, and Mr. Miller has likewise received many proofs of the good will of friends. Luncheons, teas, showers, etc., have followed in swift succession.

For the wedding the church wore a festal dress of palms, ferns, daffodils and tulips, Mrs. S. A. Shields presiding at the piano, and rendering the wedding marches, also accompanying Mr. Shields in his solo, "Because", during the signing of the register.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, looked very lovely, wearing a gown of ivory satin, and a piquant little lace cap, her bouquet being of Talisman roses and lilies of the valley.

She was attended by her sister, Miss Helen Isner, as bridesmaid, the latter being an attractive figure in a gown of honey-colored crepe-de-chene, worn with hat of same color, her bouquet being of yellow roses.

Ralph Miller, brother of the groom, attended as groomsmen, the ushers being Messrs. Harold Jenks and Fred. Purchase, both of Halifax.

The ceremony was followed by a reception at the residence of the parents of the bride, the house wearing a bright dress of spring flowers in honor of the occasion. Mrs. Isner, mother of the bride, and Mrs. Miller, mother of the groom, wore smart gowns of black lace and georgette, and beige lace, respectively, in the family group present being also Lorne MacMillan, of New Glasgow, uncle of the groom. Felicitations having been extended, Mr. and Mrs. Miller left for the wedding trip on which they are followed by the best wishes of a host of friends—a trip to sunny Bermuda on the S. S. "Lady Hawkins". On their return to Halifax they will take up their residence at 133 Spring Garden Road.

The collection of wedding gifts was remarkably large, valuable and beautiful. In it were gifts of silver, gold, cut glass, fine china, fine linen, cheques, and much beside—a collection calculated to delight the heart of any bride, and furnishing tangible proof of the interest of friends.

Mrs. Adelbert Prime and little daughter, June, of Weymouth North, are visiting her sister, Miss Flora Steele, at Southville, this week.

WESTPORT

Delma Gower, of the Royal Canadian Engineers, No. 6 Det., Halifax, arrived home on Friday to spend a three weeks' vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gower.

C. G. I. T. group (Live Wires) of Freeport, were in town on Saturday night.

D. Craft returned to Saint John on Monday.

Owing to the terrific storm the steamer Keith Cann did not arrive from Saint John until Friday.

Miss Vivian Gower entertained a number of her friends on Friday evening last.

CLEMENTSPORT

Mrs. Fred Millett returned to her home on Monday, after having spent several weeks in Boston.

Mrs. Carey Hubley, who came to attend the funeral of her mother, the late Mrs. Nelson Berry, returned to her home in Boston, on Friday.

Capt. Robt. Rawding left for Boston on Friday.

A number of the younger set were entertained at the home of Mrs. Gertrude Elliott on Saturday, in honor of her son, Vernon. At the close of an enjoyable afternoon, supper was served.

CLEMENTSVALE

Miss Emma Baird spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Baird.

Mrs. George W. Gress was a guest at Milford a few days recently.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Brown and family, of West Springhill, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Gress.

Mrs. and Mrs. Norman Sanford recently entertained a number of friends at an evening party.

W. Dunn has accepted a position as camp cook with J. H. Cunningham.



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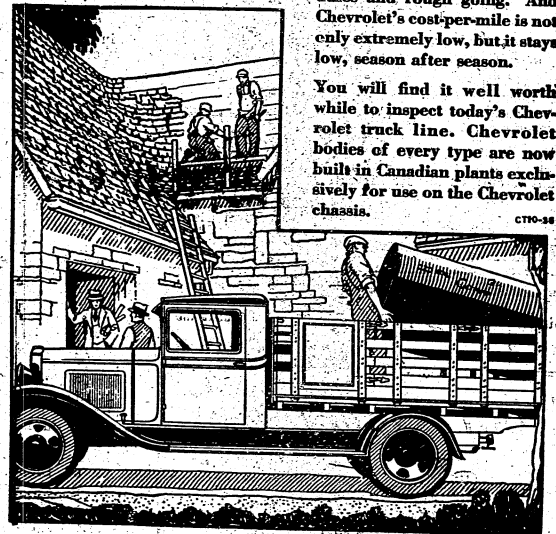
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Mr. Hamilton was born at Whitechurch, Bruce County, in 1878, and educated in the public schools of Ontario and Saskatchewan, the high school and Normal at Regina and Manitoba College, Winnipeg.

In 1892 he came west and settled near Indian Head. For some years he taught in the rural schools of Saskatchewan and in 1901 took up a homestead in the Weyburn district, since that time making extensive additions to his farm holdings.

For many years Mr. Hamilton was reeve of the Wellington Rural Municipality, and held the office of president of the Saskatchewan Association of Rural Municipalities. He was also the representative for Weyburn in the Saskatchewan Legislature and for some years was Minister of Agriculture for Saskatchewan.



FREEPORT

Mrs. Bernard Blackford entertained the bridge club on Friday evening.

Charles Teed and daughter made a trip to Saint John last week.

S. Perry was a passenger from Yarmouth on Monday.

Rev. A. W. Akerley went to Saint John on Monday.

Miss Jennie Thurber spent a few days at Tiverton this week.

Mrs. A. H. Thurber entertained the members of the W. M. A. S. on Tuesday, March 8.

Last week's storm did no serious damage in Freeport. The tide washed down some of the breastwork and tore shingles off several buildings, but the damage done was not great.

Miss Pauline Stevens entertained the Senior C. G. I. T. Group on Monday evening. On March 2, this group had a debate: "Resolved that the old-fashioned girl was better than the modern girl is". The debates were: affirmative, Pearl Thurber, Maxine Westcott; negative, Theresa Nichols, Pauline Stevens. The negative side won.

Mrs. Edward Walker and Mrs. Elias Everett are on the sick list.

ACACIAVILLE

Alfred Marshall, who has been a student at the Agricultural School, at Truro, has returned home.

D. C. McKay attended the meeting in Smith's Cove last week to revise the electoral list.

Quite a number of cases of "flu" have been here. Among those are: Mr. and Mrs. John Murly and family, Misses Susie and Alice Nichols, Mrs. Woodman, Leigh Marshall and son Kenneth, and Orbine Minard. All are improving. Miss Alice Henshaw, who also was ill with "flu" re-opened school on Monday, after being closed for over a week.

W. A. Bacon visited friends in Tupperville last week.

As there has been so many storms this far in March we think the proverbial "March lamb" must be a full fledged sheep by this time.

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LOWER GRANVILLE

Miss Primrose Elliott returned on Saturday from Saint John, where she spent the past month visiting Mrs. G. G. Hare and Dr. James Manning.

Mr. and Mrs. John Littlewood and two children, Boyd and Maud, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Littlewood's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ring, Victoria Beach.

Messrs. Jefferson & Trimper, of Clements Falls, were in this vicinity Saturday, and purchased several head of beef cattle.

Capt. G. B. McRae, of Karsdale, was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Blaney, Granville Beach.

Mrs. Herman Winchester returned home on Tuesday last from Massachusetts, where she had been for medical treatment. She was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. George Purchase, who returned to her home on Friday.

George Morrison, of Karsdale, had the misfortune to cut his foot while chopping in the woods. Dr. Sutherland was called and found it necessary to take several stitches.

TIVERTON

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ring of Freeport, are guests of their daughter, Mrs. L. B. Small.

Ernest Walker has returned from his visit at Little River. Mr. and Mrs. Merrill P. Outhouse visited their daughter, Mrs. Floyd Denton, at Westport, last week.

Alden Elliott is improving after his recent illness.

Cecil Powell, of Freeport, spent Sunday with friends here.

Mrs. Waite Rugles spent Tuesday last with relatives at Freeport.

William Howard and two sons Charles and Leonard, and Elsworth Outhouse, made a trip to Westport Sunday.

Watson Outhouse lost his boat in the storm last Wednesday.

Clarence Outhouse is out again after being seriously ill.

Weymouth and Vicinity

Vincent Beau has recently returned from Saint John.

St. Peter's Guild met in the Guild Hall, Weymouth North, on Tuesday afternoon.

Edward Gaudet was a passenger to Digby last Tuesday, returning the same day.

Donald Wagner, of Danvers, is on the sick list, as is also A. Marshall, of this town.

Maurice Sabean returned to Digby on Wednesday, where he is employed by H. T. Warne.

Mrs. Russell Lewis, of Danvers, is a guest of Mrs. Hubert Height for a few days this week.

The motor vessel Freda and Blanche, of Grand Manan, recently loaded a cargo of lumber here.

Miss Janette O'Brien, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. C. L. Baxter, has returned to Berwick.

Miss Evelyn Melanson had the misfortune to fall a few days ago suffering painful injuries in consequence.

R. J. M. Taylor's hardwood mill was closed down on Tuesday while a larger dynamo was being installed.

Lenten Devotions are being held every Wednesday and Friday evening during Lent, in St. Joseph's church.

Mrs. F. C. Amery entertained the sewing circle of the United Baptist church, at the parlour, on Tuesday evening last.

Mr. Moldoon, retired blacksmith of Easton, is making his annual visit to this town, and is a guest at the Melanson Hotel.

Mrs. J. A. Goodwin entertained St. Thomas Guild on Friday afternoon, at the conclusion of the meeting afternoon tea was served.

Mr. Umphreys, representative of Edward Allen and Company, Yarmouth, was in town on business, on Wednesday and Thursday.

Charles Amery and daughter, Mildred, also L. E. Potter and Dr. E. O. Hallett attended the funeral of Mrs. Harold Sabean, at Riverdale, on Friday.

Mr. Raymond B. Lent and small daughter of Digby, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Duxley. Mr. Lent also spent Sunday with them.

Miss Zilpah Grant, of Weymouth North, who has been spending the past two months with her sister, Mrs. Irving Lyons, at Waterville, returned home on Friday.

The funeral of Mrs. Annis Kinney was held at her late home in Ashmore, on Thursday afternoon with interment in the Riverside Baptist cemetery, Weymouth North.

Mrs. W. G. Blackadar entertained the sewing circle of the United church, on Tuesday. A very pleasant evening was spent and delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

Hallett and Eben Sabean, of Weymouth North, left on Tuesday for Yarmouth, where they have been employed on the new Lakeside Inn, being erected by the C. P. R.

The regular monthly meeting and tea of the Women's Auxiliary of St. Thomas' and St. Peter's Anglican churches, was held in the Guild Hall, Weymouth North, on Wednesday.

The members of the choir of the Weymouth North Baptist Church, have commenced to practice for a service of Story and Song, entitled "The Red of the Dawn" which they expect to have at Easter time.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Comeau passed through here on Tuesday en route from Amherst to their home in Saulnierville. Mrs. Comeau was formerly Miss "Vic" Cormier, milliner, of this place.

The Women's Missionary Aid Society, of the Riverside United Baptist church, with Mrs. Jos. Cornwall, Weymouth North, on Tuesday afternoon, at which meeting a study was made of several native missionaries.

The regular meeting of Olive Branch Rebekah Lodge was held in the lodge room, in the Ruggles' Building, on Wednesday evening. After the meeting a social hour was spent playing games. Refreshments were served by Mrs. A. L. Thurber, Mrs. John Dunkley and Mrs. Annie MacNeill.

Mrs. Arthur Titus entertained a number of the young people of Weymouth North, at a surprise party in honor of Miss Helen Tooker, on Tuesday evening, it being her birthday. The evening was spent playing games, after which refreshments were served, and the guests departed wishing Miss Tooker many more happy birthdays.



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One of the worst storms of years prevailed along the Fundy Shore last week. The oldest inhabitants never experienced the like. It did considerable damage all along the shore, and Parker's Cove suffered the most.

It nearly demolished the breakwater altogether—it is of no use whatever, the way it is.

Pieces have been taken right out of it and about all of the covering is ruined. The shipping and fishing will be tied up for a time. The Light House that has stood the storms for twenty years, was swept off of the breakwater and went in the kindling wood. W. H. Anderson's large warehouse was lifted off its foundation and moved it about 25 feet and wrecked it very badly. All in the Cove are affected. The road washed out, so it was impossible to get over it until the storm subsided. The motor boats were all rehailed in D. Milner's field to save them. The wreckage is all piled up around Edward Oliver's cottage, and W. H. Anderson lost his little wharf.

The school at New Tuskett is closed this week, owing to the death of the teacher's sister, Mrs. Harold Sabean, at Riverdale.

Miss Mary Hankinson, of Weymouth North, spent last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mullen.

Miss Gladys Sullivan is visiting at the home of Harold Sabine, Riverdale.

Miss Freida Smith, of Havelock, spent Sunday night with Miss Blanche Greene.

On Sunday afternoon Rev. F. C. Amery gave another wonderful sermon from "The Lord's Prayer". The text being, "Thy Will Be Done On Earth As It Is for a time. The Light House that has stood the storms for twenty years, was swept off of the breakwater and went in the kindling wood. W. H. Anderson's large warehouse was lifted off its foundation and moved it about 25 feet and wrecked it very badly. All in the Cove are affected. The road washed out, so it was impossible to get over it until the storm subsided. The motor boats were all rehailed in D. Milner's field to save them. The wreckage is all piled up around Edward Oliver's cottage, and W. H. Anderson lost his little wharf.

Recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Milner were Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Longmire and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hudson, of Hillsburn; and F. P. Mills and Rupert Troop, of Granville Centre.

There will be service in the United Church Sunday at 3 o'clock, by the Rev. G. T. Byrant.

Carmen Milner, of Kentville, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Percy Robinson.

SUNDAY SCHOOL GIVES A SOCIAL

On Tuesday of last week, the officers and teachers of the Deep Brook Baptist Sunday School, gave a social in the hall, in honour of Misses Vivian, Hazel, Margaret, and Jackie Clayborne, who will soon be leaving here for Liverpool, where Mr. Clayborne has taken a position. After a pleasant hour spent with games, cocoa, sandwiches, cake and ice cream were served. All were then asked to form a circle and join hands while a hymn was sung and a closing prayer by the pastor, Rev. H. W. Habel.

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LAKE DOUCET

Miss Beatrice Fitzgerald, of Yarmouth, is staying a few weeks with Mrs. Henry Doucet. Miss Margaret Deveau, of Salmon River, visited here Sunday afternoon.

Miss Anna Mae Deveau, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emilia S. Deveau, who suffered an attack of pleurisy, is recovering.

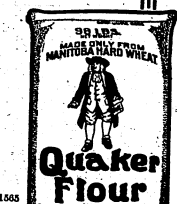
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SALMON RIVER

Mrs. Charles T. Deveau, of Meteghan River, visited her sister-in-law, Mrs. Norman O. Deveau, recently. She was accompanied by Miss Laura d'Entremont, teacher, also of Meteghan River.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Deveau arrived from Meteghan last week. They are staying with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Boudreau; Mrs. Deveau's parents, who are both very dangerously ill. Mr. Boudreau is about 80 years old.

Elphie R. Deveau is now busy finishing his shingle mill and box factory at Lake Doucet. He has now several men employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leberge, sr., have returned from a visit to Yarmouth.

Emile Frauteau, of Cape St. Mary, a member of St. Alphonse de Clare, church choir, attended vespers here Sunday.

HECTANOOGA

Mrs. M. C. Boudreau recently visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvain Melanson, at Maxwellton.

Frank E. Burridge, of Salmon River, was here Monday on business.

Fred A. Robichaud, of Corberrie, was here Tuesday afternoon.

J. A. DeVaux returned Tuesday from a business trip to Salmon River, Beaver River, Cedar Lake and Mayflower.

The monthly meeting of the Catholic Women's League, was held in the school house here Monday evening. All the members were present, although some had to come over four miles. The league is making good progress here. It is the intention to organize a concert in the near future.

MORGANVILLE

Mrs. Fred Porter is ill.

Mrs. Rachel Snell has recovered from her recent illness.

Clarence Morgan was calling on friends on Friday.

John Milner is ill at time of writing. We all hope for him a speedy recovery.

Mat hooking seems to be the order of the day.

Mrs. Elder Milner spent one day recently with Mrs. Harriett Robbins, at Bear River.

"SINGS" RESUMED

The regular weekly community sing was held at the Guild Hall, Weymouth North, on Monday evening. This was the first sing that has been held for some time, on account of so much illness in the place. The program consisted of:

Several Choruses.
Solo—Miss Rebecca Mulcahy.
Reading—Mrs. G. L. Coggins.
Duets—Misses Esther Robicheau and Marjorie Raymond; Misses Lois Tooker and Doris Titus, and the Misses Doris and Nina Titus.
Recitations—Little Miss Odella Robicheau, Master Llewellyn Coggins and Little Miss Verna Butler.
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OBITUARY

Edward Robicheau

The death of Edward Robicheau occurred at his home in Doucetville, on Sunday, from pneumonia. Deceased who was nearly twenty years of age, had been ill only one week.

Pearlie Cromwell

The death of Pearlie, the 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Cromwell, occurred at his home in Danvers one day last week, after a seven-years' illness of heart trouble. Besides his sorrowing parents there are left to mourn two sisters, Mildred and Alvada, and three brothers, Emerson, Ellerton, and Vincent. The funeral was held on Wednesday morning, with interment in St. Joseph's Cemetery, Weymouth.

Mrs. Augustin Belliveau

The death of Mrs. Augustin Belliveau, occurred at her home at Belliveau's Cove, on Wednesday morning last. The deceased, who was 68 years of age, had been in poor health for the past six months. She leaves her husband, two sons, Alphonse and Charles, both at home, and two daughters, Zita, at Hartford, Conn., and Lucie at home. She is also survived by four brothers, Joseph, St. Clair and Peter, of Belliveau's Cove, and Sifroi of Weymouth.

Willard Rice

The death of Willard Rice occurred at his home in Hill Town, at an early hour on Sunday morning, from a shock, having only been ill for a few hours. He was born at Bear River, sixty-five years ago, and is survived by his wife, who was before her marriage, Miss Joseph Spavold, one sister, Mrs. Joseph Anthony, of Bear River, two brothers, Robert, of Bear River, and Burton, in the Canadian West; also four sons, Stewart, Everett, and Walter, all at home, and Finney, at Meteghan; and three daughters, Mrs. Herbert D. Mullen, of Hill Town; Mildred, of Digby, and Fay, of the United States.

Mrs. Harold F. Sabine

The many friends of Nina, beloved wife of Harold F. Sabine, will learn with deep sorrow of Weymouth's sudden and unexpected death at Riverdale, on Tuesday last, at the age of forty-two years. She leaves to mourn her husband, four children and one step-daughter, to whom in the



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"Henry Hudson, Discoverer," was the first of the plays written for the microphone by Merrill Denison and produced by Tyrone Guthrie, which are being broadcast every Thursday evening by the Canadian National Railways' transcontinental network.

sad hour of their bereavement goes out the sincere and heartfelt sympathy of a large circle of friends.

She will be remembered for those noble qualities of heart and mind so enriching and inspiring to the community in which she lived a life of usefulness and service in Christian fellowship. Her's was a 'goodly heritage.'

The funeral service held at her home on Friday, the sixth, was under the direction of her brother-in-law, Rev. Hanley Mullen. He spoke most impressively from 1st Corinthians, chapter thirteen, verses twelve to thirteen. "For now we see through a glass, darkly, but then face to face; now I know in part; but then I shall know even as also I am known." L. H. Potter, baritone, sang by request, "Some Day the Silver Chord Will Break."

With the sorrowful loved ones our minds will frequently recur to those beautiful lines by Lord Tennyson:

And the stately ships go on,
To their haven under the hill;
But O for the touch of a vanished hand,
And the sound of a voice that is still!

Weymouth and Vicinity

E. J. Theriault, of Digby, was in town on business on Monday. Miss Gladys Sullivan, of New Tuskett, is visiting friends at Riverdale.

Miss Mary Amaro, of Saint John, arrived on Saturday to visit friends.

Capt. and Mrs. G. W. Brooks and son, Charlie, were visitors to Digby on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Amaro were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Grant on Sunday.

Mrs. F. C. Amery was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Grant, Weymouth North.

Miss Mabel LeBlanc, of the Post Office staff, is confined to the house with influenza.

Simon Sazan, who is working in South Range this winter, spent the week-end at his home in Ashmore.

Clarence Thurber, Geo. Hankinson and Lee Brooks, of Weymouth North, were visitors to Digby on Wednesday last.

A. D. Sulis, of Smith's Cove, was in town on Monday in the interest of Messrs. Puddington and Cole. Limited, Saint John.

Mrs. A. L. Thurber entertained at a very enjoyable quilting party, at her home in Weymouth North, on Friday afternoon.

Miss Mary Hankinson, of Weymouth North, was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mullen, New Tuskett, last week.

The snow storm of Friday made the roads slippery for a time, and several cars had difficulty in climbing the 'Campbell' hill, that evening.

The many friends of Mrs.

Addie Moore will be sorry to learn that she underwent quite a serious operation at the Yarmouth Hospital, on Tuesday.

Mrs. Floyd Potter and Miss Katherine Goodwin motored to Digby on Saturday to meet Mr. Potter who was returning home from a business trip to New Brunswick.

The trial between the Nova Scotia Police and Andrew Elliott, was held in Magistrate J. M. Sabine's office, on Monday afternoon. Mr. Sabine is waiting until March 12th, before giving his decision.

The many friends of Miss Adelle Blackadar will be glad to know that she is improving in health, and was able to return home on Sunday from the Yarmouth Hospital, where she recently underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard C. Rudolph, of Saint John, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter—Margaret Eleanor—at the Evans Home, last week. Mrs. Rudolph was formerly Miss Eleanor Journeay, of this place.

Mr. Allison, government marine engineer, of Ottawa, who is in this part of the province inspecting the damage done by the storm of Wednesday and Thursday, was a visitor of Capt. H. B. Fitzgerald, Weymouth North, on Sunday.

The afternoon bridge club was delightfully entertained by Mrs. Reynolds Harris, on Monday afternoon, the prize winners being Mrs. A. J. Goodwin, first; and Mrs. G. W. Blackadar, consolation. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

An afternoon tea and pantry sale was held at the home of Mrs. L. H. Potter on Friday afternoon, in aid of the United Church. Although weather con-

LEGS TREMBLED; HEART THROBBED

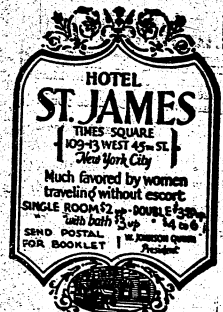
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ditions were rather unfavorable a goodly number were present, and the sum of \$15.00 was realized.

Miss Dorothy Coggins entertained the Pathfinders, C. G. I. T. Group, of Weymouth North, on Friday evening. At this meeting a further study was made of the book "Girls Who Made Good," taking the lives of Marie Curie, Florence Nightingale and Jane Addams.

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Five years have passed since you left us, beloved one;

Five years of sorrow and sadness—and yet I cannot realize that you have gone.

When at evening I sit and think of home—

I can picture you there by the window, in your chair.

Daddy dear! Oh, how we miss you: Your place can never be filled; But it would be sinful to wish you back.

When we know it was God's will.

"Gone, but never will be forgotten" by his wife and family.

Mabel Raymond
27 Mendum St., Roseland, Mass.
32 1p

IN MEMORIAM—In ever loving memory of our darling little Jean, who passed away March 16th, 1929.

The memory is as dear today, As on the day she left us.

—From her Father, Mother, Brothers and Sister—

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CARD OF THANKS—Miss Blanche U. Morgan wishes to express her thanks and appreciation of the kindness extended to her by many friends, during her illness at the Digby General Hospital. — Blanche U. Morgan. 32 1p

FOR SALE—The farm property recently occupied by Frederick J. Thibault, located on the western side of the Main Road, leading from Digby to Weymouth, at Syda's Corner, so-called, consisting of 23 acres of land and farm buildings. Can be purchased by paying reasonable amount down and the balance on easy terms. For further particulars apply to Frank W. Nichols, Digby, N. S. 29 8c

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FOR SALE—3 Bedroom Suites, 1 Deck and Hall Set, and numerous other articles. Sale commences Tuesday.—W. H. Graham, opposite Oddfellows' Hall. 30 1p

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DISTRICT MANAGER WANTED—To represent us in Digby and vicinity, to sell Live Muskies for breeding purposes, with fully equipped pens. We have an attractive proposition to offer you, if you can qualify. Write us for full particulars.—Maritime Fur Farms, Ltd., Capitol Theatre Building, Halifax, N. S. 30 3c

NOTICE—I hereby forbid any person or persons trespassing on or removing anything whatever from my property above common tides, without permission or they will be prosecuted as common thieves. The locks on my buildings at the shore have been broken repeatedly and different articles stolen.—Chas. G. Robbins, Rossaway. Dated March 6th, 1931 31 3p

Albert J. Dennison, of River side, "J. L.," formerly of Digby, fell in front of his place of business on the ice recently, breaking his leg between the ankle and knee.

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The Salvation Army will hold its anniversary supper, on Monday, March 23rd, at 7 o'clock. Admission will be 40 cents.

LITTLE RIVER

Miss Eva Weaton, of Parrsboro, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Darrell Cheney.

The young married people met for their club at the home of Mrs. Emdon Tibert, Saturday evening.

Deacon Joseph Tidd, of Whale Cove, has returned home from the Yarmouth Hospital.

We are pleased to see Mrs. Bernard Morehouse out again after being confined to her home for a month on account of illness.

The fishermen have been very busy putting their traps down and find lobsters very scarce.

We are thankful to say that the recent gale did no damage to speak of at this place.

Jack Frost left last week for Truro where he will be employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Denton entertained a large number of their friends at the tea hour recently.

The Philathea Class met with Mrs. John Trask last Thursday, and with Mrs. Bowman Collins this Thursday. A very pleasant social time was enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Denton entertained a number of their friends on their 15th wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Lyndon Collins entertained her Sunday School class Friday evening.

Hugh Collins has returned from Halifax and Mahone Bay. He spent a few days on his way home with his brothers, Capt. C. W. and Balfour Collins, of Granville Ferry.

Wilfred Trask has purchased the Etta Trask property, and moved into it on Saturday.

LANTERN LECTURE ON SUNDAY EVENING

By request Rev. C. L. Snow will give his lantern lecture with colored slides, on C. M. Sheldon's sermon story "In His Steps", at the Young Peoples' Meeting in the Baptist Church, next Sunday evening, at 8 o'clock. An offering will be taken.

Weymouth and Vicinity

Miss I. May Parker is quite ill at present.

John Lawrence is among those on the sick list.

Roy Wagner, of Riverdale, is ill with rheumatic fever.

W. R. Harris received another carload of Ford cars on Saturday.

R. J. M. Taylor, of the Weymouth Shipping Company, was a passenger to Boston on Friday.

The young son of Percy Bell met with a painful accident on Thursday, when he broke his arm.

Miss Hilda Hogan, teacher at Gilbert's Cove, spent the weekend at her home in Weymouth North.

Rev. F. C. Amery, of Weymouth North, motored to Yarmouth on Friday, returning on the night train.

Lobster fishermen from the other side of the Bay were in town on Friday shipping their catches to Boston.

Miss Frances Comeau recently returned home from Boston, and is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Comeau.

Mr. Earl, of Yarmouth, representative of Webster Smith Company, Halifax, was in town on business on Thursday.

Mr. Gilroy, representative of Christie and Brown, Saint John, was in town on Thursday in the interest of that company.

There was no meeting of the Weymouth North Young Men's Bible Class on Friday evening, as the teacher was out of town.

To The "Shut-In" With Jesus

"Peace be still", Mark 4: 39. The Master, awakened from His sleep, arose and facing the fierce gale said "Peace be still".

The waves, like tired soldiers, sank to rest; the hurricane became a gentle breeze; the sailors, breathless, marvelled at the miracle.

Yes, we marvel too, and well we may; but let us not forget that Jesus said, "Oh ye of little faith". May He not now still the storms that rage in troubled hearts? Is He not the same yesterday, to-day, and forever?

The following poem is by James T. Fields.

"We were crowded in the cabin; Not a soul would dare to speak; It was midnight on the waters, And the storm was on the deep.

'Tis a fearful thing in winter To be shattered in the blast, And to hear the rattling trumpet, Thunder, 'cut away the mast'!"

So we shudder there in silence, For the stoutest held his breath, While the angry sea was roaring, And the breakers talked with death.

And thus we sat in darkness, Each one busy with his prayers; "We are lost", the captain shouted, As he staggered down the stairs.

But his little daughter whispered, As she took his icy hand, "Is not God upon the ocean Just the same as on the land?"

Then we kissed the little maiden, And we spoke in better cheer, And we anchored safe in harbor When the morn was shining clear."

Just notice that the word of the little maid quelled not the storm outside, but rather the storm within.

All hopelessness, fear, and dread may be dispelled by Jesus' word, "Peace be still". Listen! Do you hear the still small voice, "Be still and know that I am God? To know that God is the Lord, and to yield, is Life Eternal.

C. L. Chute.

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ANNIVERSARY SERVICES, MARCH 20-23

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Friday, 8 p. m.—Women's Meeting. Ye are cordially invited.

Saturday, 8 p. m.—Public Meeting.

Sunday Services—11 a. m., 3 p. m., and 7.30 p. m.

Monday, 5 to 7—Anniversary Supper; 8 p. m.—A Canada Day-Accepted. The Challenge of the Cross.

Admission to Supper and Program, 45 cents.

Tuesday, 8 p. m.—Public Meeting. 32 21

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CONCESSION P. O. AND CHURCH POINT RAILWAY STATION from the 1st July, 1931.

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W. S. FULTZ, District Superintendent of Postal Service, District Superintendent's Office, Halifax, February 24th, 1931

Young People's Service On Sunday Evening

The service next Sunday evening in Grace United Church will be under the direction of the young people of the Seageta Class. Four short talks on the fourfold life—intellectual, devotional, physical and social—will be given by four members of the class, and the class song will be sung. There will be good music and popular hymns.

If tea cost were measured by flavor, Morse's Selected Orange Pekoe Tea would be twice the price it is today.

A very successful meeting of the Ladies' Hospital Aid was held on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. L. Woodman, with a large attendance. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Dickie, on next Wednesday afternoon, at 3 o'clock.

Two large photographs by Yates, of Digby's big storm, are displayed in the window of Dillon's Shoe Store. One of the pictures, taken from the upper floor of Dakin's Hardware store when the storm was at its height shows the huge waves carrying great logs, and dashing against the buildings at Rook's store and Yates' studio. The other shows what disastrous inroads were made upon the embankment and the street near the Red Raven.

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Mrs B. Morse - Water St.

A Supper and Forty-Fives Party

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Tuesday Evening, March 17

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Supper at 6 o'clock — 50c

Cards at 8 o'clock — 35c

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Lower Prices for This Week

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Oval Porcelain Dish Pans priced as a special at \$1.59; they are of very heavy material, but apparently no one wanted red, so we are trying to convince you that you should buy a Red Dish Pan when they are marked down to 96 cents.

These are only a few of the bargains you will find in our north show window, and they are not many as our stock has, we are glad to say, very few stickers.

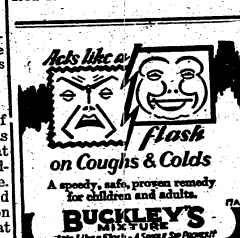
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THURSDAY, MARCH 19th.

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Correspondent Thinks Timber Not Suitable

To the Editor of the Courier.
Sir:—A few of us here in the country are watching the town with interest, in its efforts to protect the water front, and we are wondering if those in charge have given sufficient thought to the matter. Driving along the road we notice the timber they are getting is the soft, sappy kind which will rot in a few years except where it is under the tides. Let the authorities look at the breastwork at the Big and Little Joggin bridges, at the Bear River bridge, and at the Moose River bridge. They were put in by the railway and were built of our rough stone. The storms of years have beaten on them in vain. There's a practical lesson for someone.
Non-Resident.

Miss E. M. DuVernet left on Monday for Boston en route to Greenville, South Carolina, where she will visit her brother, Robert P. DuVernet and Mrs. DuVernet.

Shipment Heaviest At Digby

The steamship Princess Helene, Canadian Pacific Bay of Fundy service, on Sunday set a record for freight tonnage shipped across the Bay in a round trip, it was announced Monday by J. M. Woodman, C. P. R. Superintendent, New Brunswick District.
Although 652 tons were carried between the two terminal points of St. John and Digby, the greater volume of 530 tons was carried on the vessel's return.

122 Tons of Ketchup
On her morning trip to Digby, the Princess Helene carried 122 tons of ketchup for shipment over the Dominion Atlantic Railway to Halifax. While on her afternoon voyage 22 cars containing fertilizer, rum, coffee, beans and raw sugar were taken to Saint John for shipment by Canadian Pacific to other parts of Canada. The fertilizer is destined to New Brunswick points, the remainder of the shipment going to western Canada.

TRINITY PARISH BULLETIN

The Trinity Guild will meet for sewing on Monday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Eber Turnbull.

Wednesday, March 25th, being the Festival of Annunciation of Blessed Virgin Mary, there will be a celebration of Holy Communion at 8 a. m. Evensong and sermon at 7.30 p. m.

The services on Sunday will be as follows:—

8 a. m.—Holy Communion.

11 a. m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon, subject, "Suffered Under Pontius Pilate".

12 noon—Sunday School.

3 p. m.—Service at Marshalltown.

7 p. m.—Evening prayer and sermon, subject, "Glory in the Cross".

Father and Son Banquet

The Father and Son Banquet of the United Church, was held in the Hall on Tuesday evening, under the auspices of the Brotherhood.

At this banquet seventy men and boys sat down together. The catering committee were Messrs. Ed. Hayden, Fred Turnbull and Reginald Turnbull, and they did their work well. The Hall was prettily decorated. Above the platform was an electric transparency showing the words "Fathers and sons together in Brotherhood". On each side were red banners with green lettering, one of them with the motto: "A Father's Example", the other, "A Son's Obedience". Below was the enlarged Tuxis emblem. The tables were decorated with green in honor of St. Patrick. The serviettes were suggestive of Ireland, and the Toast-lists were on green shamrocks. The guests of honour were Mayor Lynch, Rev. T. E. McLellan and Rev. Reginald Roach, of Annapolis, and the Digby Boy Scout Troop.

Following was the Toast-list: "The King" "The Church" proposed by Jabez Appleby, responded to by E. M. Robertson; "Our Sons" by Israel Letteney and Fred Turnbull; "Our Empire" by Dr. W. R. Dickie and Rev. Reg. Roach; "Our Town" by Oakley Turnbull and Mayor Lynch; "Our Fathers", by Rufus Connor and A. R. Turnbull; "Our Mothers", Milton Turnbull and Clayton Snow; "Our Guests", Rev. E. W. Forbes. J. MacN. Wallis, president of the Brotherhood, acted as toast master.

The main address was given by Mr. McLellan, on "Fathers and Sons". His talk was very interesting and very much to the point. He spoke of the way that fathers and sons could be helpful to one another, acting together in brotherly fashion in sport and work, and how both could help the church and be helped by the church to have and to hold on to the best ideals of life. The next meeting of the Brotherhood will be held April 16th. This will be ladies' night.

Young Men Conduct Service

Four teen aged boys, Alan Wright, Clayton Snow, Reginald Turnbull and Rufus Connor, took charge of the service at Grace United Church on Sunday night. The boys are all members of Rev. Mr. Forbes' young peoples' class, "the Soangetaha". They spoke on the "Four Fold Life", each boy speaking on one phase of the text "Jesus increased in wisdom and in stature and in favor with God and man".

In front of the pulpit hung a large and beautiful drawing of the Tuxis ensigma, the work of Miss A. L. Jagger, of Smith's Cove. During the service the Soangetaha class song was sung by the choir to the tune of "Bells of Saint Mary's".

Eric Morse, formerly of Digby has been elected a director of the W. C. Pitfield Company. Mr. Morse has been identified with financial undertakings for several years, winning increased public confidence. He is to be congratulated on this recognition in the form of an election to the board of this outstanding financial house.

DIED

Tobias—Suddenly, at Lynn, Mass., on Friday, March 13, 1931, Fred Tobias, oldest son of the late Joseph E. and S. M. Tobin.

Will Be Soloist



ETHEL STARK
Talented young concert violinist, who will solo in the Toronto Symphony orchestra, Sunday, March 22nd, during the coast to coast broadcast by the Canadian National Railway. Although she is still in her teens, Miss Stark has already made an enviable reputation for herself as a musician.

Digby Votes To Borrow Money To Repair Damages

At a public meeting, Monday night, Digby ratepayers voted unanimously for the town's borrowing a sum of \$51,000 as outlined by the following resolution, which varies slightly from the original resolution published last week, which only called for \$44,500.

"That the ratepayers of the town of Digby hereby authorize the town council of the Town of Digby to expend (a) a sum not exceeding \$30,000 to be used for defraying the cost of constructing a sea wall, or walls, or breastwork, or breastworks, for the purpose of protecting any street or road in the town; (b) a sum not exceeding \$7,500 to be used for the purposes of constructing a sewer on Water Street or any part thereof; (c) a sum not exceeding \$3,500 to be used for the purpose of defraying the cost of acquiring any water lot or lots on Water Street; (d) a sum not exceeding \$4,000 to be used for the purpose of defraying the cost already incurred of extending and constructing water works; (e) a sum not exceeding \$1,000 to be used for the purpose of defraying the cost of extending in the Town of Digby and vicinity the electric light system of the town and that debentures of the Town of Digby be made and issued therefor and that an act or acts of the Legislature be obtained authorizing the same."

The above resolution was moved by Major M. C. Denton and seconded by C. J. Eldridge. In addressing the ratepayers, Mayor Lynch outlined the purpose of this meeting, brought about by the extensive damage done by the great storms of March 4 and 5. He spoke of the necessity of widening Water Street from the Salvation Army barracks to the so-called public levels, and of the advisability of the town's acquiring a title to lands on the east side of the street.

A committee of the council found that it was possible to acquire lots north of Church Street at \$200 and south of Church Street for \$150. In all there are sixteen lots. There are two lots at the corner of Church and Water Streets which have not been bargained for yet. It is the intention of the



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UNITED BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday Services, March 22.
11 a. m.—Rev. A. W. Banfield.
3 p. m.—Hill Grove, Rev. A. W. Banfield.

7 p. m.—Rev. H. R. Grant, D. D.

Sunday School, 12.10.
Rev. A. W. Banfield represents the Bible Society, and Dr. Grant is Secretary of the Nova Scotia Social Service Council.

The Ladies' Sewing Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. C. P. Mullen, on Tuesday evening.

Meeting Wednesday evening at eight o'clock.

Double Wedding At Centreville

A double wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shaw, Centreville, on Saturday evening, March 14, when their son, Ernest, was united in marriage to Pearl, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Burpee Frost, of Little River, and Madeline, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Titus, of Centreville, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Gidney, of Centreville.

Rev. T. Dimock, pastor of the First Baptist Church, of Digby Neck, performed the marriage ceremonies in the presence of a few relatives and friends of the contracting parties. Mrs. Fred Morehouse rendered the wedding march. The brides were prettily attired, Miss Frost wearing blue silk with matching accessories, and Miss Titus in a dress of peach crepe-de-chene. After the ceremony and congratulations to the newly married couples, dainty refreshments were served.

Scotia Division Gives Concert

The members of Scotia Division gave a concert in the Lower Granville Hall, on Thursday evening of last week. Although the roads were bad, a good crowd was present. All those taking part did their part well. The entertainment consisted of music, dialogues, readings, monologues and a play entitled "The Family Album", in which Mrs. Gilbert Ray was a young girl entertaining a visiting minister, (Edgar S. Porter), by showing him the Family Album. Mrs. Ray was assisted by Geo. Parker. She was a very entertaining young lady, and the Family Album contained living pictures dressed in costumes of years ago. The proceeds of the evening was \$17 for Division purposes.

Princess Helene Held Up

Digby was visited by another strong north-west wind on Wednesday of this week, and for the second time this month the Saint John-Digby steamer Princess Helene, was unable to dock at her berth here and was compelled to lay at anchor in the lee of the North Mountain off the Granville shore, where she was protected from the storm. The boat with her thirteen passengers, docked at seven o'clock yesterday morning.

town, with repairing the affected area of Water Street, damaged by the storm, that a permanent sewer be laid in that section W. H. Farnham and H. T. Wayne asked that the sewer include Montague Row. Mr. Farnham made a motion that, in case of necessity, the town have an expropriation bill passed to enable it to acquire lots on the east side of Water Street through purchase or otherwise. This motion was seconded by F. R. Eisenor and passed unanimously.

All ratepayers who spoke, expressed themselves to the effect that the storm did the damage and the repairs would have to be made.

Fritz Dakin moved that the sewer rates for the Town of Digby be not more than \$1 per foot frontage and the entrance fee be not more than \$25. This was seconded by Dr. G. V. Turnbull and passed unanimously. Mayor Lynch expressed his hope of getting some assistance from the Provincial Government for the work on Water Street, as Digby, he said, is the terminal of the C. P. R., and cars coming off the boat have to drive over this street before they can get on the provincial highways.

St. Patrick's Bridge At Sandy Cove

A very enjoyable evening was spent on Tuesday last when a St. Patrick's Bridge of four tables was given by Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Foster. The rooms were very artistically decorated for the occasion in green and white, with streamers and shamrock. Prize favors were bestowed upon Mrs. R. W. Sypher, Miss Nettie Dakin, Carl Eldridge and Frank Saunders.

A drawing contest was also an interesting feature of the evening, Mrs. Hugh Morehouse being the prize winner.

The hostess who was assisted by Mrs. Chipman Saunders and Mrs. Frank Saunders, served a very dainty and delicious luncheon. The guests present were Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Rice, Mr. and Mrs. Chipman Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Morehouse, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Sypher, Mrs. Caroline Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Eldridge of Digby, Mrs. Bernard Morris, Vancouver, B. C., and Miss Nettie Dakin, of Digby, being the out of town guests.

R. H. Ward, former organizer of the Sons of Temperance, has been engaged as part time organizer with the Good Templars.

The Soangetaha Class will hold its monthly social in the United Church Hall, on Thursday evening, 26th inst.

Golf Company Holds Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Digby Golf Co., Ltd., took place recently in the Council Chambers of the Town Hall. Those interested in the Golf Company were present.

The minutes of the former annual meeting were read, discussed and approved. New directors were appointed. The shareholders meeting adjourned and the directors meeting followed. The election of officers resulted in the following appointments:

President—R. H. Lockward
1st Vice President—F. B. Witherbee.
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The appointment of a Greens Committee was left till a future meeting. The spirit of optimism was most certainly present at both meetings and the affairs of the Company were shown to be in sound condition. The greatest outlay for years occurred last year and 1931 should return the Company this with interest.

An illustrated address on the "Passion Play at Oberammergau" will be given by Rev. E. W. Forbes, in the United Church Hall, on Thursday, April 2nd, at 8 p. m. Mr. Forbes visited Oberammergau last fall and has some very fine slides showing scenes from the play. Admission 25 cents.

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SATURDAY, MARCH 21st.

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A Big Double Show

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COUNTRY HOSPITALS A NECESSITY

A report in a New York medical journal states that "young physicians cannot be coaxed, caajoled or threatened to locate in a community which does not offer the opportunity to continue hospital practice."

One third of the practicing physicians in the counties covered were found to be 60 years old or older.

Medical Colleges point out that young men will not take the places of these veterans as they drop out, preferring to remain in cities where the modern trend of the profession is toward specialization and hospital facilities. This is a most serious situation, growing more serious as time advances, and the ranks of the veterans thin out. The only way in which it may be remedied and stop the county doctor's practice from going begging, is to provide hospitals and medical laboratories in rural neighborhoods.

Most fortunately Digby and vicinity is not suffering from lack of good doctors or a hospital, it has both, but it would be presuming upon human intelligence to believe that we could readily secure the services of competent physicians in the future, when the need arises, if we did not have a modernly equipped hospital wherein they might pursue modern medical practice and research.

Doctors of to-day are not taught to face the hardships that the old rural physicians had to endure, and survival as a matter of course. They are not taught to be heroic. The automobile and good roads have removed the travail of the old time doctors.

The present day physician is taught to rely upon the hospital and the modern equipment it possesses. Without one he is lost and in a community where there is none he refuses to establish a practice.

Hospitals everywhere are maintained solely as agencies of mercy. Aside from privately conducted institutions where fabulous fees are charged and only the rich can derive the benefit from the treatment they give, not a hospital in the land is conducted as a business proposition.

Digby residents and the residents of the surrounding communities will therefore do well to support the local hospital whenever and however it seeks support, for without it the people in its vicinity would find themselves in dire straits when medical needs arose, and we should soon realize what it means to a community to be without the services of competent and skillful doctors.

OUR YOUNG PEOPLE

The other evening we spent a little time chatting with a prominent citizen in this town. In some way or another we got to talking on the subject of the boys and girls in Digby.

Quite contrary to custom we were not deploring the fact that all of them were going lickety scoot to the bow wows; in fact, we became even more convinced than when we started talking on the subject, that Digby had as fine, or even finer bunch of young folk, that can be found in any town. They are a bunch to be proud of.

Can you find a sister town that has as clean a record from juvenile crime as Digby? Can you find a sister town as free from vandalism as Digby?

No, we didn't paint a halo over the heads of every one of our boys and girls! We realized that they liked their fun and that they had their fun. We also realized that they recognize the rights and privileges of other people perhaps even more than some grown up we know.

Fun and recreation with them isn't going around damaging property by smashing windows and other stunts of vandalism; fun with them isn't tormenting the life out of some unfortunate soul who is not blessed with the same mental capacity as some of us, in fact we found the most

of them sympathetic toward such people. We found a surprising number of them more or less actively interested in church work and in church organizations, in C. G. I. T. work and in the Boy Scouts.

As the recreations of the older folk of to-day differs greatly from that of the recreations of the older folk of yesterday, so also does the recreations of modern youth. Times and ideas have changed—they have advanced, not declined. We should bear this in mind before condemning our young folk because "they are not doing as we did." Instead of mourning over that condition, we ought to be thankful for it.

Of course many have made mistakes, and some of the mistakes have not been so little. We all have made our mistakes, and likewise, some of our mistakes have not been so little. Let's do unto others as we would they would do unto us, and try and forget these things. Instead of searching in every corner for the faults of our young people, let us look for their good points. Once you start you will find them more in evidence than their sins. Let's throw our young people a life belt and not a mill stone.

INSURANCES SUICIDES

(The Argonaut)
An investment banker, who had been exceedingly prominent in the City of Baltimore, recently committed suicide. No suspicion of dishonest financial dealings attached to his record. His business had simply suffered from the current depression to the point where not only had his family income become negligible, but scores of persons directly dependent upon his business were likewise virtually penniless.

This gentleman, yclept Hambleton, saw no prospect of restoring his business to solvency, but he happened to be carrying in excess of \$3,000,000 in life insurance. He thought the matter over, contemplated his family and friends in poverty if he continued to live, realized that they would be extremely solvent if he ceased to live and promptly shot himself. He literally gave his life that others might live.

If this were an isolated case, it could be passed over as the peculiar manifestation of a peculiarly sensitive mind, seeking the right pathway. It happens, however, that during 1930 there were three similar cases in the City of Philadelphia. Doubtless, if a census of motives were taken among the year's suicide of men in financial occupations, others could be listed.

These cases are one in kind, if not in degree, with men in humble walks of life who permit themselves to be maimed to acquire compensation pensions. They raise the whole problem of how much actual self-injury and suicide takes place by heads of families to assure the future of their dependents.

To attempt to define a law which would effectually end the entire pre-ceeding of this nature is beyond the province of a layman. That this growing tendency should be curbed is apparent.

THE LINKS OF EMPIRE

Sir Lionel Halsey, British naval officer who has accompanied the Prince of Wales on travels totalling more than 250,000 miles, says that the principle upon which the heir to the throne acts is that he should personally meet as many people as possible, and in execution of his design has at times patiently undergone the ordeal of receiving 30,000 persons. Sir Lionel expresses the view that the royal family, which is above parties and factions and acceptable to all, is the strongest link that holds the Empire chain together. Otherwise, he thinks, the various units would fall apart in little independent states that would soon be absorbed by stronger neighbors.

DANVERS

Donald Wagner is on the sick list.

Clarence Mullen spent Sunday with friends at Riverdale.

Harry Lewis, Jr., spent Sunday with friends in Weymouth.

Esther Wagner entertained a number of the young folks at a party recently.

We welcome the Weymouth Gazette to our homes and wish it much success.

George Mullen, who has been on the sick list for some time, is slowly improving.

The Misses Hilda Wagner and Grace Marshall, of Riverdale, and Mildred Amero, of Weymouth, were week end guests of Esther Wagner recently.

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VESSEL LAUNCHED AT METEGHAN YARD

A fine new motor vessel was launched from the ways of the Meteghan Shipbuilding Company last week. The boat is constructed of native lumber and measures about 97 feet in length. Miss Annie Saulnier, of Meteghan had the honor of christening the new vessel. Many persons witnessed the launching which was perfect. The boat is now receiving finishing touches at the wharf.

Loads Lumber at Belliveau's Cove

The schooner Edith Belliveau, Captain Henry L. Dionne, sailed Saturday for Boston with a cargo of lumber shipped by B. Belliveau & Co. At Boston the schooner will load cargo for the West Indies.

The schooner E. P. Theriault, Captain Moore, has returned from Grand Manan and will take another cargo of wharf material at Weymouth and White's Cove, for North Head, Grand Manan, to be used in the new government pier to be constructed there in the spring.

BELLIVEAU'S COVE

Miss Zita Belliveau, of the Aetna Life Insurance staff, of Hartford, Conn., arrived via Yarmouth on Friday last to attend the funeral of her mother, Mrs. Augustin Belliveau.

Elize Comeau, of St. Bernard's, has been confined to his home through illness for the past few weeks.

Raymond LeBlanc, agricultural representative for Clare, held a meeting at St. Bernard's school on Sunday afternoon.

LOBSTERMEN FORCED TO SHIFT OPERATIONS TO CAPE ST. MARY

The lobster fishermen of Salmon River, are now ready to begin their annual migration with their boats and gear to Cape St. Mary as soon as the weather will permit, to begin their fishing operations. This year, there will be 13 boats from that place with an average of about 200 traps to a boat.

Charles L. Deveau, of Salmon River, has had a new motor boat built, fitted with a new engine, which cost when completed more than \$1,100.

The amount of money invested in boats, traps, bait and other incidentals is more than \$15,000, yet in spite of this, they will again this spring be obliged to exile themselves to Cape St. Mary to pursue their fishing operations, because there are yet no landing facilities at Salmon River, that is a proper extension to the breakwater and dredging of the river-bed at its mouth. If this work was done, the port would be one of the best on the western shore.

Urge Immediate Action

A delegation consisting of Charles L. Deveau, Municipal Councillor; J. D. Thibault, general merchant; Armand A. Deveau, sub-fine ranger; Emedee Deveau, Inos C. Deveau, Henry D. Deveau, Edmund Martin and Edward Kobichaud, leading fishermen, recently went to Digby to interview H. B. Short, M. P., on the subject. A petition, largely signed, has also been sent to the Department of Public Works, urging the utmost necessity of immediate action on the part of the Government.

Besides the lobster industry there is also the line fishing industry which is being depleted every year, as the statistics of the local fish buyers plainly show. Moreover there are still several hundred cords of pulp wood that could not be shipped last fall because the river and breakwater were unsatisfactory.

The steamer Glenholme was compelled to go on the marine slip at Yarmouth to have her bottom repaired, where she had pounded on the rocks in the river.

It is reported that a local vessel will be engaged in carrying pulpwood from Salmon River to Liverpool this summer. The inhabitants there are hoping that an extensive grant will be placed on the budget at an early date for the betterment of the port.

A GERMAN TRIBUTE

"Fathers, send your daughters to England, the paradise for women travelling alone." The Berliner, Tageblatt, which offers this advice, lays emphasis on the fact that a young woman can go anywhere in England unaccompanied without the slightest risk of ever being insulted. "Those who have travelled alone on the continent can appreciate this ideal state of affairs in England at its full value," says the paper. The politeness shown by the men to women in trains, buses and tubes is recorded. "A seat is always offered to you. It does not matter whether you are young or old, pretty or ugly. The fact that you are a woman suffices."

THE MODERN MARINER

A Maritime Photographer Has a Bad Dream

I worked one night by ruby light
In my dark room on the shore;
I heard the shriek of wind-swept
raiu
And Neptune's angry roar.

The waves rose high and filled the
sky
With snow-like froth foam;
While on the lids rose giant logs;
I trembled for my home.

Then, sove afraid, in bed I laid:
Mid crash and boom and roar;
While one by one the bottles fell
Upon my dark room floor.

"If this wild sea comes up to me,
Should this fierce storm grow worse
My dry plates will be wet plates,
And myself a bloated corpse."

Over the sea there came to me
A foghorn cry, for aid:
The Digby lights are blotted out;
To dock we are afraid!

How could I lie and see men die?
I took a ball of twine
To save the helpless sailors,
And leaped into the brine.

Through trough and crest my way I
breast
With these strong arms of mine;
I reached the ship; they threw a
buoy,
And hauled me on a line.

"O, Cap!" I said, "be not afraid,
I'll save you, with my cord;
Just tie it to a coil of rope
And I'll jump overboard."

Then back to shore I swam once more
Until I reached the pier;
Mid wind and wave, a watery grave
Was often mighty near.

The rope at last, I made it fast
The ship began to dock;
I raised a flare up in the air,
And got an awful shock.

The bed was sliding to and fro,
With bumping, floating spars.
I had fallen on my head,
To see a million stars.

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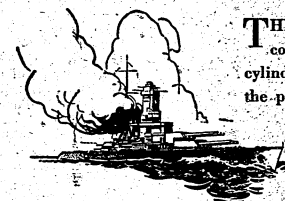
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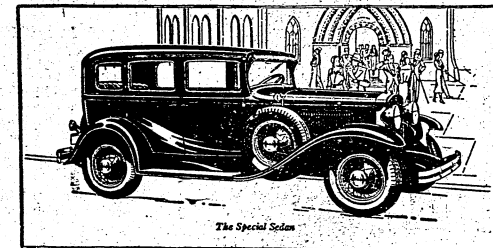
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SMITH'S COVE

The March meeting of the Women's Institute was held on Wednesday afternoon last, at the home of Mrs. E. J. Payson. Mrs. George Weir, the president in the chair. After the routine business was transacted the time was spent in making arrangements for the prize list in connection with the horticultural demonstration, which is an annual fall event. A large number of members were present and one visitor. At the close of the meeting a social time was spent and refreshments served. The April meeting will be at the home of Mrs. George Austin.

A lecture with slides was given in the Temperance Hall on Tuesday evening last, by Rev. C. P. Henderson, of Bear River. The subject was "A Trip Around the World in an Hour and Thirty Minutes", and it was greatly enjoyed. The proceeds were for the benefit of the Boy Scouts and their share amounted to \$5.

Mrs. (Dr.) MacGregor gave a fifteen-cent tea on Thursday afternoon last. The proceeds, which amounted to \$3.00, were for church purposes.

Rev. Charles Snow gave a lecture with slides, "In His Steps" in the Baptist church, Sunday evening. During the evening a solo was beautifully rendered by Miss Florence Berry.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Winchester and Mrs. Elmer Weir, were recent visitors in Anna polis.

T. A. Pearson, of Greenwich, was a week end guest of his daughter, Mrs. Brenton Merry, and Mr. Merry, at Bear River Station.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Birt, who have spent the past few weeks with Mrs. Birt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Weir, returned to their home in Cambridge, Mass., on Friday.

J. J. Wallis, of Digby, attended the special meeting of the Sons of Temperance here Monday evening. While in the village he was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Smith.

Harold Sulis has opened a pool room in the store owned by his father.

Home Division, No. 169, Sons of Temperance, enjoyed a fraternal visit from Royal Division No. 37, on Monday evening. Large representations were present from both lodges, and a very interesting and profitable evening spent by all. At the close of the session a treat in which clam chowder predominated, was served by the ladies of Home Division.

DEEP BROOK

Mrs. John Adams returned home from Boston on Friday of last week. She spent a very pleasant winter with her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Adams, and relatives.

Mrs. Robert Isles is spending a few weeks, guest of her daughter, Mrs. Elburn Berry and Mr. Berry.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Snell, of Bear River, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Sherman.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nichols entertained on Saturday evening

CHILDRENS
COLDS

in honor of their daughter, Miss Nellie, who was celebrating her birthday. The evening was pleasantly spent in games and music, after which refreshments were served, with usual birthday cake.

Mrs. Myrtle Jackson was hostess to the Dorcas Society on Wednesday. This meeting took the form of a quilting party. At the close of the working period dainty refreshments were served and a social hour spent.

Bishop Hackinly was present at the Anglican Church on Thursday, and gave a very strong and helpful address to a large congregation.

The weekly prayer meeting of the Baptist Church, was held with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Berry. There were a large number in attendance. The pastor, Rev. H. W. Habel, spoke on "The Value of Prayer".

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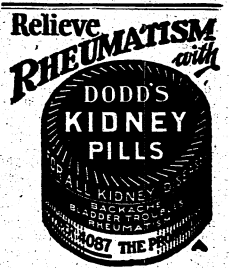
LOWER GRANVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. John H. VanBlarcom entertained a number of their friends from Parson's Cove and Hillsburn on Tuesday evening last.

Mrs. George Anthony received the sad news on Thursday of last week, of the death in Salem, Mass., of her son's wife, Mrs. Warren Letteney. Although she had been in failing health for the past few years, her death came as a shock to her many friends. Much sympathy is felt for Mr. Letteney and daughter, Frances, in their great loss. Mrs. Anthony left on Friday for Salem, to attend the funeral.

The Karsdale teacher, Miss Dorothy Saunders, was the week end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Porter; and her sister, Miss Lillian, the Island teacher, was a week-end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Anthony.

The Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Johnson were the Misses Lillian and Dorothy Saunders and brother, Blair, of Granville Ferry. Mrs. Ollie Amblerman entertained a number at a quilting party on Monday last.



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Weymouth
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Mrs. H. S. Hoyt has purchased a new Packard Sedan.

Little Miss Barbara Potter is among those on the sick list.

E. H. Potter was a business visitor in Digby over the weekend.

Capt. C. F. Granville has a very attractive Easter window display.

Master Freddie Potter was a guest of Mrs. W. R. Harris one day recently.

Miss Rosie Comeau, teacher at Saulnierville, was a week-end guest of relatives in town.

Quite a number of barrels of lobsters were shipped from here to Boston on Tuesday and Friday.

Mrs. Glidden Campbell and little daughter, Margaret, were passengers to Digby on Friday, returning same day.

Mrs. Harley Brooks entertained the Busy Bee sewing circle at her home in Ashmore, on Saturday afternoon.

The Women's Missionary Aid Society, of Ashmore, met at the home of Mrs. Ellsworth Kinney on Wednesday afternoon.

Donald Gillelo, who has been spending a short vacation at his home in Weymouth North, returned to Berwick on Monday.

The regular weekly meeting of the Weymouth North Young Men's Bible Class, was held at the parsonage on Friday evening.

Mrs. Arthur Titus and little son left on Friday for Shelburne, where Mr. Titus is employed, and where they will in future reside.

Walter Sabine motored home from Halifax on Thursday, and is a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Sabine, Weymouth North.

The Women's Missionary Aid Society of the Ashmore Baptist Church, met with Mrs. Ellsworth Kinney on Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. S. W. Titus, who has been a guest of her sister, Mrs. H. S. Hoyt, for the past few weeks, returned to her home in Digby, on Friday.

Owing to unforeseen circumstances the meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, announced for Wednesday, did not take place.

On Wednesday William Comeau, of Meteghan, was charged with a violation of the Liquor Control Act, was convicted, and fined \$100 and costs.

The Misses Dorothy Coggins, Ruberta, and Margaret Rand and Alice Doty spent the weekend in Ashmore, guests of the former's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Doty.

Captain Bourque, of Lunenburg and Toronto, who was captain of the ill-fated tern schooner, Leo LeBlanc, when she was lost recently off Turk's Island, while bound to this port with a cargo of salt, was in town on Thursday.

On Tuesday at Weymouth, the Provincial Police were successful in securing two convictions on the charge of corrupting children. Clare Johnson was sentenced to twenty days in jail, and Ephraim Jarvis paid \$23.50, fine and costs.

The evening bridge club was delightfully entertained by Mrs. A. J. Goodwin on Friday evening. The prize winners for the evening were: ladies first, Mrs. Jessie Journey; gentlemen's first, Dr. D. J. Hill, and consolation, G. O. Long. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. G. D. Campbell, sr., who has been spending the winter in Baltimore where her son Colin was receiving medical treatment in a hospital, returned home on Tuesday, accompanied by Colin. His many friends will be glad to learn that he has recovered from his serious illness of the past five months.

CORBERRIE

Rev. Father D. C. Melanson, of Weymouth, was here for Holy Mass on Sunday and Monday.

John H. Blinn, of Saulnierville, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blinn over the weekend.

Mrs. Catherine Robichaud is on the sick list.

On Thursday last Louis H. Melanson, accompanied by Ernest Melanson, motored to Belliveau's Cove, on business.

Basile Robichaud, who has been in the care of Dr. Doirin, at Little Brook, for the last two months, is able to be out again.

James Comeau, of Concession, is working with Armand Saulnier.

Daley Gaudet, who is in the employ of Jeremiah Comeau, St. Joseph, spent Sunday at his home here.

Do You Like Shortbread?

1 cup Purify Flour
1/2 cup oats
1/2 cup icing sugar
1/2 cup butter
Mix all ingredients very carefully. Spread evenly in pan and prick with fork. Bake in moderate oven (375°) for 20 minutes, or to golden brown. Cut in squares and allow to cool while in pan. Brown sugar may be used in place of icing sugar. Be sure it is Purify Flour you use.



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Hon. T. L. Kennedy

AS its Minister of Agriculture, Ontario enjoys one who has come from a long line of Peel County farmers, Hon. T. L. Kennedy. He is chairman of the Ontario Committee of the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference, and was born and raised on the land which he now farms successfully at Dixie, Ontario.

Following education in the public schools Mr. Kennedy entered municipal politics and became ward of Peel County before he was thirty. During the war he served in Belgium and is officer commanding the Governor-General's Body Guard and in command of the 1st, Cavalry Brigade.

Following the war, Mr. Kennedy was elected to the Provincial Legislature and as chairman of the Agricultural Committee became closely associated with the work of the Agricultural Department. Upon the retirement of Mr. J. S. Martin from the Ministry of Agriculture, Mr. Kennedy was appointed.

CENTRAL GROVE

Mrs. Geo. Boushie and daughter, Joyce, of Freeport, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Eldry Guier.

Mrs. Llewellyn Delaney spent a few days recently at Tiverton with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Israel Outhouse.

Miss Margaret Tibert and Miss Amy Johnson were the over-Sunday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Tibert and Mr. and Mrs. Horace Johnson.

Gordon Delaney spent Sunday with friends at Westport.

The W. M. A. S. met at the home of Mrs. C. F. Delaney on Tuesday afternoon of last week.

MT. PLEASANT

Mrs. Arch. Bremner, of the Lighthouse Road, spent one day last week with Mrs. Aubrey and Mrs. Delbert Forrester.

Miss Hilda Banks of West Ingilville, spent a few days recently with her sister, Mrs. Burton Fleet.

Miss Elsa Collins spent the week-end with friends in Digby.

Arthur Banks, of Bridge-town, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Burton Fleet.

Frank Scragg is spending a few weeks with his daughter, Mrs. Fred V. Daley.

Fred V. Daley has gone to Halifax where he will receive medical treatment.

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LINIMENT

The Royal Division of Bear River, motored to Smith's Cove on Monday evening, where they were guests of the Home Division of that place.

Capt. J. E. Woodworth, of the S. S. Bear River, is taking a month's well-earned holiday. He will be relieved by Capt. Peters, of Lockport.



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To get them some butter
and bread,
But butter was dear
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MANAGER OF STORE HELD UP

"Lying in wait behind a parked automobile, two young men held up and robbed Watson P. Nicholl, 60, chain store manager, in front of his home at 8 Cambridge st., Allston, last night, taking a brown leather bag containing the day's receipts of the store at 508 Cambridge st., Allston.

"As Nicholl approached his home he noticed the two youths lurking in the rear of a parked automobile. They stepped out as he started to turn in at his own door. One of the youths thrust a revolver into Nicholl's side while the other snatched the bag. After taking the bag they jumped into the automobile and escaped.

"Nicholl could not estimate the amount of money in the bag. He said he always made a practice of counting the money when he arrived home. The robbers were between 20 and 25 years old, Nicholl told the police."

(The above was copied from the Boston Post, March 12, and will be read with interest and concern by numerous friends in Bear River. Mr. Nicholl formerly lived in Bear River.)

STREET LIGHTING

When the Lawrence town plant was taken over a five-year contract was made for 100 street lamps of 50-watt power, for \$12 per annum. This will expire next January. Bridgetown also is finding the rates too high. Both these communities have been furnished with figures showing how excessive are the charges of the Annapolis Valley Electric Co., and it is likely that there will be a general movement for the revision of the rates. The local members, Hon. O. P. Goucher, A. S. MacMillan and J. W. Comeau have been supplied with information showing the injustice and partiality of the decisions of the Board of Public Utilities in the Bear River matter.

ST. PATRICK'S SALE AND TEA

The Ladies' Aid of the United Church of Canada, held a very successful St. Patrick's sale and tea, on Saturday afternoon, at H. E. Harris' sample room. The room was prettily decorated in green and white, with festoons and shamrock leaves. The tables with suitable decorations, were very pleasing. The proceeds amounted to \$18.

Local and Personal

Fred Rice is on the sick list. Mrs. Avarad Marshall is on the sick list.

Mrs. W. P. Brinton is on the sick list. J. J. Wallis, of Digby, was in town last week.

Mrs. Harold Hatheway spent Monday in Digby.

Miss Jefferson is the guest of Mrs. Murray Alcorn.

Otis Rice, of Nictaux, spent the week-end at his home.

Mrs. Lovett Harris returned from Bridgetown on Tuesday.

Elmer Morgan spent several days up the valley last week.

Walter Clayborne has returned to his home at Deep Brook.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Anthony motored to Bridgetown on Monday.

Mrs. Milton Morgan and Mrs. Alpheus Chute are on the sick list.

Mrs. Charles VanBuskirk is visiting at the home of G. T. Tupper.

Mr. and Mrs. Fulton H. Parker returned from Boston on Tuesday.

Mrs. John Yorke held her millinery opening on Saturday, March 14th.

Mrs. Howard Snell is visiting her sister, Mrs. Schurman, at Deep Brook.

The Ladies' Aid met on Tuesday afternoon at Mrs. Schmidt's to quilt a puff.

Miss Olive Barr is working in the drug store, during Mr. Harris' absence.

Miss Edith Benson is having a month off from the telephone office, sick leave.

Mrs. Joseph Fernan, of Barrington, is the guest of Mrs. Wilson Jefferson.

Mrs. Lewis Walker, of Bridgetown, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Tupper.

Mrs. F. Milbury entertained a number of friends at the tea hour on Wednesday.

Rev. A. W. L. Smith, of Clements, was in town on Saturday calling on friends.

Mrs. W. M. Romans returned on Friday from a trip spent at Boston and New York.

Walter Read left Monday for Truro, to take a short course at the Agricultural College.

Miss J. Edwards, of Middleton, will be a guest of Mrs. Geo. Tupper for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Dondale, of Clements, spent Sunday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Reg. Potter.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Murray, of New Glasgow, were the recent guests of Rev. and Mrs. E. Murray.

The Baptist Circle met on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. A. A. McLeod, Baptist parsonage.

The "Beautiful City" will be given by the choir and W. M. S. members of the United Church, on Easter night.

Mrs. Maurice Benson and daughter, Emma, spent a few days recently at Smith's Cove, guests of Mrs. A. J. Cornwall.

Mr. and Mrs. Leander Alcorn arrived from Boston on Friday, having spent the winter with their daughters in the United States.

F. W. Harris, of Annapolis, motored to Bear River on Sunday to visit his brother, L. V. Harris, who is confined to his home with pleurisy.

Mrs. A. B. Campbell was the hostess on Monday afternoon, to an Institute tea. The members are all busy sewing for the community chest, for the Digby Hospital.

W. M. S. MEETING

The Auxiliary of the W. M. S. of the United church met on Friday afternoon with Mrs. Harry E. Harris, the president, Mrs. Croscup, in the chair.

After the usual opening exercises beautiful Easter responsive service was carried out.

As this will be the last regular meeting before Easter final plans were made regarding the pageant, "The Beautiful City," which will be given at Easter in the church.

A short reading entitled "Sunshine," written by one of the missionaries, a Miss Campbell, was read. Mrs. Harris served delicious refreshments at the close of the meeting.



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MEN'S BRIDGE CLUB MAKES PRESENTATION

The men's auction bridge club were entertained on Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Purdy, the wives of the members also being included by Mrs. Purdy's special invitation.

After the evening's play, Mr. W. G. Clarke, in a very appropriate speech, presented L. M. Butler, resident manager of the Royal Bank, who is being transferred shortly to Halifax, with a sterling silver cigar lighter, from his fellow club members, and expressed their regret at losing him from the club, and as a citizen of the town.

The pretty prizes for the ladies who played 'contract' at two tables, were won by Mrs. James Brown and Mrs. Walter Romans.

BANKER'S WIFE GUEST OF HONOR

Mrs. Howard Cunningham and Mrs. A. G. MacIntyre entertained on Tuesday afternoon at a three-table contract bridge, in honor of Mrs. L. M. Butler, who leaves shortly to take up residence in Halifax.

The rooms were beautifully decorated, in true St. Patrick Day colors. The table in the dining room, presided over by Mrs. L. J. Lovett, was especially lovely with its centre of gay daffodils, its green crystal service and its salads, cakes and candies decorated in the same hue.

The lovely prizes were also in green—a special for the guest of honor, Mrs. Butler, the others won by Mrs. Alfred Porter and Mrs. H. W. Anthony.

SEWING PARTIES

The sewing parties for the benefit of the Digby Hospital Community Chest have been well supported by the members of the Institute, and the friends who are interested in this worthy object.

The first of these was held on Tuesday, March 10, when Mrs. Cunningham and Mrs. MacIntyre were hostesses—and a splendid start was made.

Donations of cash and articles were received, and the proceeds of the tea were used to purchase materials for future sewing.

The second tea was held on Monday afternoon, March 16, at the home of Mrs. A. B. Campbell, when further progress was made, and a most enjoyable and profitable afternoon spent.

Mrs. L. J. Lovett will be the hostess on Monday afternoon next, and the ladies are requested to keep this date in mind, and to assemble at 3 o'clock, ready to work. As usual a ten-cent tea will be served, the proceeds to be used for materials.

APPEAL FOR DIGBY GENERAL HOSPITAL

The new Digby General Hospital is nearing completion, and the surrounding districts are showing their interest in this fine institution by adding to its necessary equipment of linen and furnishings.

The members of the Bear River Women's Institute have been contributing, both individually and as an organization to this object, but the appeal is to Bear River as a community, and shortly, solicitors will make a canvas of the town, asking for contributions of the following articles, or cash to purchase materials. Viz.—Hand towels, bath towels, sheets, pillow cases, tray cloths, dresser scarves, bedside table covers, face cloths, etc.

Bear River furnished a room in the old Digby Hospital several years ago, and while the furniture and most of the accessories are still in use, repainting, new upholstery, and new linens will be necessary, if the "Bear River Room" is to be kept up to the standard and requirements of such a fine institution as the new Digby Hospital. The canvassing committee is as follows:—Mrs. L. J. Lovett, Mrs. John Harrow, Mrs. Hubbard, Mrs. Walter Romans, Mrs. Cunningham, Mrs. William Morine and Mrs. Harry Purdy. A generous response is hoped for.

B. Y. P. U. DEBATE

The senior B. Y. P. U. meeting, on Friday evening last, took the form of a debate on the following subject: "Resolved that Wealth is a Greater Cause of Unhappiness than Poverty." The affirmative side was led by John Evans, supported by Donald McDormand and Chester Isles. The negative leader was Walter Read, with Howard McLean and Edward McDormand as his supporters. Mr. Brown, principal of Oakdale School, acted as critic, and the judges, J. L. Warren, C. D. Rice and Rev. A. A. MacLeod, gave the decision in favor of the negative.

PHILATHEA CLASS

The regular meeting of the Philathea Class was held at the home of Mrs. R. A. Harris, on Thursday evening, March 12th, with some forty members in attendance. After the usual preliminaries and business part, a very interesting programme was presented, consisting of choruses, piano solos and duets, vocal solos and readings. Mrs. Harvey Chisholm was convener of the programme committee. Immediately following the programme refreshments were served, and a very enjoyable evening was brought to a close by the singing of "Blest Be the Tie That Binds".

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 1. Cream of Mushroom Soup.
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 5. Baked Apple Pudding.*
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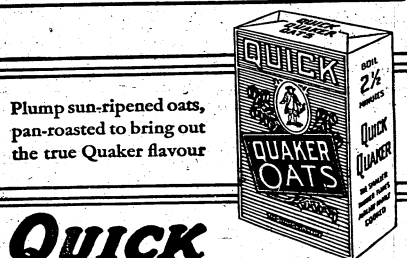
1/4 teaspoon salt
5 tablespoons butter
1/2 cup milk

Melt butter and milk to make a stiff batter. Bake in individual moulds or drop over apples and bake in the oven at 350°F. for 30 minutes. Serve hot with hard sauce.

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Friday, 8 p. m.—Women's Meet-
 ing. You are cordially invited.

Saturday, 8 p. m.—Public Meet-
 ing.

Sunday Services—11 a. m., 3 p. m.,
 and 7.30 p. m.

Monday, 5 to 7—Anniversary Sup-
per, 8 p. m.—A Cantata entitled,
"The Challenge of the Cross."
 Admission to Supper and Program,
 50 cents.

Tuesday, 8 p. m.—Public Meeting.
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No Doubt It Is Being Considered

A subscriber writes: "Though it wasn't mentioned at the Town Meeting, the Council are doubtless giving lots of thought to the matter of a good sidewalk along the new front. Now is the time to do it. And the electric light poles, those hideous deformities that stand out against a blank sky, should certainly be replaced by something better. A few ornamental iron poles would cost little, and would do much to relieve that ghastly bare space between the Red Raven and the Band Stand."

Ladies' Hospital Aid Sew-
circle met on Wednesday
noon at the home of Mrs.
Dickie. Mrs. O. Wright
the hostess next week
cordial invitation is ex-
tend to all to attend



with the horsehooe. After this some Scout work was taken up and points were given out. The Wolf won the patrol competition of knot tying. When the work period was at an end Mr. Wright gave a very interesting talk on his travels in the United States. Mr. Wright will con-

On Tuesday evening the Scouts were the guests of the United Church Brotherhood. The Scouts had a very fine time at this gathering.

The St. Patrick's supper and forty-fives social for the benefit of St. Patrick's Church, held in the Waverly on Tuesday was a big success in every way. The sum of \$106 was realized.

Mrs. E. H. Dakin and family, Brother and Sisters wish to thank all those who were so kind and sympathetic during their recent bereavement, for beautiful floral tributes, telegrams, letters and cards.

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Persons who wish to become Telephone Subscribers at this time, and Telephone subscribers who want changes made in their listings are urged to send in their orders to our nearest business office at once, and at all events not later than April 16th.

We cannot undertake to give effect in the new issue to orders received after that date.

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These three assorted			5 lbs Bulk Icing Sugar		40c
3 lbs for		39c	Assorted Jello	3 pkgs	25c
2 lbs Ginger Snaps		25c	For Coughs, Colds, Etc.,		
1 lb Fresh Marshmallow Jam		18c	Father John's Medicine		1.00
18 lbs Yellow Eye Beans		1.00	Oliveoil Emulsion		90c
2 Cans String Beans		33c	Scott's Emulsion (Large)		1.00
2 Cans Preserved Pears		35c	Scott's Emulsion (Small)		50c

Best Quality Corn Meal	-	-	\$1.50
Morning Glory Flour	-	-	3.10
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Lecture On Africa Last Sunday

Rev. A. W. Banfield, representing the Canadian Bible Society, gave a very interesting and instructive address, illustrated by some sixty lantern slides, in the Bijou Dream Theatre, on Sunday evening. Mr. Banfield, who has spent thirty years in Africa as a missionary, told an interesting story of the progress of Christianity and civilization in Africa. The theatre was crowded to its capacity and a silver collection was taken for Bible Society purposes.

In the morning Mr. Banfield addressed the congregation of the Baptist Church, and spoke in the United Church at the evening service.

The local Bible Society wish this means of expressing their gratitude to Mr. Walker for the use of the theatre on Sunday evening.

Cribwork To Be Extended

A large crowd of men gathered early Tuesday morning at the scene of the destruction caused by the recent storm. It was announced semi-officially on Saturday that the repair work on the water front would commence on Monday, but actual work did not start until Tuesday. The line of the proposed new abutments and cribwork was staked out after the survey was made and a small gang put to work. Many more, of course, will be employed later.

The abutments will be moved 15 feet out beyond the site of the former protective work and will continue on, passing through the centre of the land on which stands the Red Raven building, which of course shall be removed. The proposed new work will show a vast improvement in the appearance of the front street. Great piles of timber are strewn in convenient positions in preparation for the new cribwork.

Don't forget the Hospital Benefit Supper in the Baptist vestry to-night. Supper served from 6 o'clock. Tickets, 50 cents.

Red Ravens Planning For Next Season

On Monday a meeting of the Digby Red Ravens Hockey Club was held in the Town Hall, members of the team and those interested in the future development of the team for next season were present. Dr. Victor Turnbull, was elected chairman, in the absence of the President, Frank Anderson, who was on a business trip to Montreal. The minutes of the last meeting were read by the Secretary, Treasurer, E. J. Theriault, after which resolutions were discussed regarding the bringing back to Digby of two or three players, which had strayed away last season, presumably on account of lack of interest which the citizens had in the team last season. But these men were all got in touch with and various ones, and next season it is expected to have the full line-up once more. Mr. Theriault read a letter which he had received from the protest of a game between Annapolis and Digby, because of an ineligible player. This was all straightened out at the annual meeting, which was held at Moncton, and the club now have a clean sheet to start with next season. During the meeting an entertainment committee was appointed consisting of Victor E. MacNeill, Leigh A. Peck and David Daley. They are to find means and ways of raising money during the summer months, so as to defray expenses and keep the club in good financial standing when the coming season approaches, to provide new uniforms, and perhaps, if this proves a success, to engage a playing coach.

This committee decided to purchase a new Chevrolet Sedan and have tickets sold throughout the Province, and after a sufficient number have been sold a big drawing would be held, and the one holding the lucky ticket would be declared the owner. David Daley was given full charge of this contest.

Lawyer Theriault moved the adjournment of the meeting, seconded by Victor E. MacNeill, to meet again after a meeting of the various clubs in the Central Valley League, where a representative would be sent from here in an endeavour to secure a berth in that league next season.

Come to the Hospital Benefit Supper at the Baptist vestry to-night, at 6 o'clock. Tickets, 50 cents.

NOTICE

Our store will remain open on Thursday afternoons until further notice.—DARIN BROS.

NOTICE — The Annual Business Meeting of the Ladies' Hospital Aid, will be held in the Court House, on Wednesday, April 1st, at 3 o'clock. Notices have been mailed to regular members, and a cordial invitation to attend is extended to all others who are interested in the welfare of the Hospital.

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BARTON, Digby County

NOTICE

Next Friday being Good Friday and a public holiday, the Courier will be published on Thursday, April 2nd. All advertisements and correspondents are requested to have their copy at this office not later than Tuesday afternoon, March 31st. Editor Courier.

Personal Mention

R. H. Lockway is in Halifax this week.

H. F. Williams left on Wednesday for Kentville.

C. J. Eldridge is in Halifax on business this week.

Mrs. VanBlarcom is confined to her home with influenza.

Mrs. G. V. Turnbull is suffering from an attack of influenza.

W. B. Williams of Halifax, was a visitor in town this week.

Roy Ross spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. A. Ross.

H. L. Woodman has been on a business trip to Middleton this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Trohon are both confined to their home by illness.

Mrs. C. F. McBride is on a visit to friends in the New England States.

H. T. Warne and son, H. M. Warne, have recently been on a trip to Halifax.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. G. Lynch are expected to return from Halifax this week.

F. L. Anderson returned this week from a business trip to Montreal and Ottawa.

C. L. Walker left on Friday for Virginia, where he will visit friends and relatives.

Mrs. Helen Daley left on Friday for New York to visit her sister, Nancy, who is ill.

Miss Ina O'Brien has returned from Halifax and resumed her duties on the local teaching staff.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Sollows have returned home from Halifax, where they have spent the winter.

H. W. VanBlarcom, of Barton, who has been on a visit to the United States, returned home on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Torrie, who have been spending the past year in California, returned home this week.

Gordon Casey left on Monday for Yarmouth where he will join Capt. Ansel Snow's vessel in the halibut fishery.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Nichols have returned from their southern cruise to Boston, but will spend several weeks in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Webber returned on Tuesday after spending a large part of the winter in Boston and vicinity with relatives.

Miss Kate Austin Tobin and Mrs. B. W. Tobin, returned on Tuesday from Lynn, where they had been attending the funeral of the late Fred K. Tobin.

Captain Fred Boudreau, of Church Point, left on Tuesday for Boston to take command of the Weymouth schooner Edith Bellevue, loading at Boston for the West Indies.

Grocers! Pop up your tea sales by pushing the sale of Morse's Selected Orange Pekoe; the favorite tea with the social set these many years.

Abnormally Large Calf Born

George F. Smith, of Ashmore, owns a cow of a mixed Jersey and Guernsey breed, which last week gave birth to a calf which weighed 91 pounds. The calf was born dead. The average weight of a new-born calf is from 25 to 30 pounds, and 91 pounds is an exceptional weight for even a veal calf.

The choir of the United Church, will hold a Measuring Social, in the hall, Prince William street, tonight at 8 o'clock. The admission will be according to height, five cents a foot and a cent for each additional inch. There will be a programme and refreshments.

Much Construction Being Carried On

There still seems to be a lot going on in the way of construction in Digby. C. J. Eldridge is having the roof of the Lour Lodge raised in order to enlarge some of the rooms on the top floor of that large hotel, and at the same time, will add a few more rooms to the hotel.

Workmen are now employed at the old Universal Garage, now owned by F. R. Eisener, of Digby Motors. They are carrying that building out to the street. This new addition, like the one built at the rear of the building this winter, will be a fireproof structure, and will be used for the Garage showrooms. This garage will be one of the modern in this section of the province when completed.

The old Garage on the corner of Birch and Prince William Streets is to be torn down shortly, and a modern filling station erected on the site.

Up over the Racquette Hill the G. P. R. is having an up-to-date golf house built in keeping with the beautiful new golf course now about completed.

These are all new jobs, commenced within the last fortnight. Exclusive of the work being done by the town in repairing the damage done by the recent storm, there are many thousands of dollars worth of construction started last fall or early this year not yet completed and giving employment to many men. Prospects for more new construction during the coming months are also very bright.

Does Advertising Pay?

We are not going to attempt to answer this question in so many words, but invite you instead to look at Wright's advertisement in this week's Courier, and for that matter in every week's Courier. Mr. Wright is a firm believer that advertising DOES pay, and commencing this week, has increased his space from a corner to a half page advertisement, and will continue to use this large space each week for at least three months as a medium of letting the public know of the splendid values he has to offer in his store.

In these days of competition, one cannot afford not to advertise—the public are just as much interested in the advertisements as they are in the news.

Dr. Grant Bucks Liquor Control

Rev. Dr. H. R. Grant, General Secretary of the Nova Scotia Social Service Council, addressed the congregation of the Grace United Church, Sunday morning. Dr. Grant spoke in strong terms against the present Liquor Control Act and prophesied that he would live to see that Act revoked. He also criticized the establishment of Liquor Control stores in the towns of counties who voted in favor of the Nova Scotia Temperance Act. Dr. Grant addressed the Baptist congregation in the evening.

GRANVILLE FERRY

Dr. Grant Reed, of Montreal, is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Beverley.

Miss Christina Willett spent last week in Belleisle.

Mrs. Joseph Curry was called home from Windsor Friday last, owing to the illness of her father, W. H. Weatherspoon.

Mrs. Auburn Ruffee entertained a number of her friends at contract bridge on Friday evening.

Capt. and Mrs. Norman Berry entertained on Friday evening at a four-table bridge. The prize winners were Miss May Walker and Arthur Eaton.

Fletcher Mills, who has accepted the position of Town Clerk, in Berwick, will leave with Mrs. Mills on Monday.

Miss Goldie Banks has a position at the Spectator Office.

Trinity Parish Bulletin

Sunday is Palm Sunday when we greet the Saviour with loud Hosannas. The services will be as follows:

8 a. m.—Holy Communion

11 a. m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon

3 p. m.—Service at Marshalltown

7 p. m.—Evening Prayer and Sermon

Everyone is looking forward to the sacred cantata, "Olivet to Calvary", to be rendered by the Trinity augmented choir, in the Bijou Dream theatre, Good Friday, at 8 p. m. There will be pictures and a short talk illustrating the parts sung. Come and bring your friends.

There will be service in the Parish church every evening next week, except on Good Friday, when the service will be at 10 a. m.

United Baptist Church

Sunday Services:—

11 a. m.—Digby.

3 p. m.—Hill Grove.

7 p. m.—Digby.

Rev. G. C. Warren will conduct the services.

Sunday School at 12.10.

Meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

The ladies' sewing circle will meet at the home of Mrs. James Franklin, on Tuesday evening.

The choir are preparing an Easter Cantata, "Christ Victorious", which will be given on Easter Sunday. Selections will be sung in the morning and the entire Cantata in the evening.

Ladies' Hospital Aid Appeals For Supplies

The Ladies' Hospital Aid wishes to call the attention of the public to the following list of items and supplies required for the wards of the new hospital. Any contributions of these articles or their equivalent in cash, will be very gratefully received by the supply committee, Mrs. H. Anderson, chairman.

Large sheets, size 64x100 in., draw sheets, size 64x48 in., pillow cases, standard size, white bed spreads, standard size, woolen blankets, standard size, flannel blankets, standard size, hand towels, bath towels, tray cloths, dresser scarves, face cloths, table cloths, table napkins, baby clothes, hospital sheets.

Layman's Service In Grace United Church

The service in Grace United Church next Sunday evening will be a layman's one. The speaker will be Arch Morehouse, of Bay View, who will speak on "What Life Has Taught Me". There will be popular hymns, and a hearty welcome to all.

Freeport Masonic Lodge Celebrates Anniversary

The Masonic Lodge held their anniversary supper in the Town Hall, on Friday, March 20. The menu contained lobster—chowder, fried lobsters, pies, cakes, oranges, candy, tea and coffee. The programme consisted of a solo by Mrs. B. Blackford, a duet by Mrs. B. Blackford and Rev. Mr. Phinney, tenor, of Westport. Dr. A. F. Weir presided in the chair. After the programme games and dancing were enjoyed. A good representative group of Westport members attended, also B. Blackford, of Tiverton.

TRINITY AUGMENTED CHOIR

will render the Sacred Cantata "OLIVET TO CALVARY"

Illustrated by Pictures

in

Bijou Dream Theatre

Good Friday, April 3rd, at 8 p.m.

Admission 25c. and 35c.

BIJOU DREAM THEATRE

SATURDAY, MARCH 28

Big Double Show

Zane Grey Picture

"Stairs of Sand"

Fox Special

"Masquerade"

Extra Reel Admission 25c & 35c

MON. & TUE., MAR 30, 31

Victor McLaglen and Fifi Dorsay

in

A Fox Picture

"On the Level"

Single Reel and Serial

Admission 25c & 35c

THURSDAY, APRIL 2

Special All Talking

Show

HOOT GIBSON

in

"The Roaring Range"

Talking Comedy—

"No Boy Wanted"

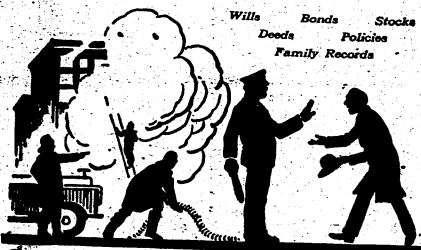
Admission 25c & 35c

Don't Put It Off!

WHEN fire breaks out it is too late to avert the loss of valuable papers locked up in a drawer in your office or home.

The cost of protection is far less than the expense of replacing one document—provided it can be replaced.

Don't put off renting a Safety Deposit Box until it is too late. For two cents a day you can buy protection.



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Bear River Branch
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R. H. Lockward, Manager
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G. O. Long, Manager

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HERE IS A WORK BOOT

made by the John Palmer Co. A boot constructed with solid leather insole, soft pliable water resisting uppers with Panco sole and heel. Sizes 6 to 11 and listen—the price is only

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Dependable Footwear

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Hyalanthus, Daffodils, Primulas and Baby Rambles

Snapdragons and Other Cut Flowers

Res. Phone, 127-33 Order Early

Anniversary Sale

For Six Days commencing April 1st We give TEN PER CENT DISCOUNT on all goods except Food. We will also give a One-Dollar piece of Abundant to the one who spends the most money with us during that week.

Grant's General Cash Store

BARTON, Digby County

You Cannot Afford to Experiment, Be Sure With

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COMMON SENSE IN HEALTH

Vancouver's infant mortality rate per 100 registered births has dropped from 33.53 in 1929 to 32.61 in 1930. This, it is announced, is the lowest rate in the world with the possible exception of a certain few sections in New Zealand, says the Vancouver Province.

The reason why Vancouver has had such wonderful success in preserving the lives of her infant children is because in that city the principles of health mechanics and common sense have had wider public acceptance than in almost any other city on this continent.

Vancouver people have learned, through consistent education in health mechanics, that food plays a tremendous part in the vitality of all living beings, whether that being is of mature or tender years.

They have been told and have had the understanding to believe that life is sustained by a clean bloodstream and imperiled by an unclean bloodstream.

They know from experience that even little children are hurried to their graves by unwise combinations of food and that they may be kept from physical disaster by diet care.

Vancouver has a wonderful record of preserving her children because Vancouver parents have had the good sense to apply common sense to health.

FATALITIES FOLLOW FATALITIES AMONGST WRONGDOERS

Years ago Vivian Gordon, a Canadian girl, went to New York and became involved in the underworld. The other day she was murdered by gangsters who feared that she would testify against them in court. On learning of her mother's disgrace her 16-year-old daughter committed suicide. Overwhelmed by trouble, her brother has been taken to an insane asylum. This story of evil-doing and its consequences reminds one of the series of fatalities following the cry of corruption which opened the Harding regime. The cause of the president's death remains shrouded in mystery. His widow is dead. So is the girl from Marion, Ohio, and her infant daughter. And so are several of the outstanding men identified with the wrong-doing which went on under Mr. Harding's presidency. The slate has been wiped almost clean as in Sodom and Gomorrah and as in the last act of "Hamlet."

Is it that crime brings its own punishment, or that a sort of Nemesis follows the wrong-doer?

THE BEGINNINGS OF THE ALPHABET

At last there seems to be a possibility of tracing the Roman alphabet to its lair. It is a source of never-failing wonder that all the world's wisdom can be preserved and communicated by means as simple as a series of rearrangements of twenty-six arbitrary, and in themselves meaningless, symbols. For centuries scholars have been trying but without success, to find when, and where, and how these symbols came to bear the significance that they do today. Success is not even now attained, but a great impetus has been given to the search by discoveries that have recently been made in Syria.

In May, 1929, a tablet inscribed with cuneiform characters was found near Latakia, in Syria. This has now been deciphered by M. Virolleaud of the Sorbonne and dated somewhere in the thirteenth century B. C. Still further tablets have since been discovered, including a lexicon, a long poem and a bilingual dictionary. Among the most interesting deductions to be drawn from them is the existence of a hitherto entirely unknown language. But it is to the light they throw on the origin of the Roman alphabet

She Hadn't Slept Well in 5 Years

"When I started Sargon I don't believe I'd gotten a really good night's sleep in five years," declared



MRS. ELLA CONNORS

Mrs. Ella Connors, 1 McCully St., Halifax. "Indigestion and a smothering feeling from gas on my stomach kept me nervous and wakeful; my hands and feet were cold from poor circulation; and my whole system was poisoned from constipation. Sargon corrected the indigestion, and as the Sargon Pills cleared my system of poisons and corrected the constipation, I could feel new life and strength over my entire body. My circulation is normal; I sleep fine at night, and have gained seven pounds."

Sold by P. W. Holdsworth, Druggist, in Digby; and Bear River Drug Store, in Bear River.

that attention will be chiefly directed.

This Western alphabet derives from the Greek, and the Greek from the Semitic—the letters of the Greek alphabet, so far as their etymology is known, being words in the Semitic language. But when the question is asked, "Where did the Semitic alphabet come from?" the road ceases to be clear. Some scholars have looked to Egypt, some to Cyprus, others to the Minoan writings of Crete for the elusive origins of the Western written languages. The cuneiform script also has had its adherents, and it is possible that the recent discoveries at Latakia may bring to light facts that will finally settle whether it is in this direction that one must look for the beginnings of the alphabet.

UNITED BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES

Why do Maritime Baptists use the word "United" in their name? As this question is often asked the following explanation is offered. Away back in 1901, long before the Presbyterian, Methodist and Congregational churches considered uniting, the Free Baptists and the regular Baptists got together on a basis of union. Later the Maritime Convention of the two bodies was organized under the name "The United Baptist Convention of the Maritime Provinces". Acts of law were subsequently passed incorporating the different boards of the convention, for example, "The United Baptist Home Mission Board". Thus many years before the present United Church of Canada was organized, the Maritime Baptists were carrying on using the word "United". If the use of this word were now dropped, the basis of union between the two former Baptist churches would be violated.

To The Shut-In With Jesus

"Ye Must Be Born Again," John 3:7. Is this an unusual text for the shut-in and sick folk? Now if you will be patient, you will see that it has to do with "The peace that the world cannot give nor take away."

Jesus said, "Except a man be born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God." Now what is the kingdom of God? "The kingdom of God is within you," Luke 17:21, and "The kingdom of God is not meat and drink, but righteousness, peace and joy in the Holy Ghost," Rom. 14:17. Therefore the kingdom of God is righteousness, peace and joy in the Holy Ghost in you.

Now Jesus is saying that we cannot see this kingdom unless we are born again; in other words no man naturally will come to know "The peace that passeth all understanding," or "The joy that is unspeakable and full of glory," for this is the fruit of a right relation with God and with men; a righteousness which is by faith in Jesus Christ.

There is no joy apart from peace and no abiding peace apart from righteousness, and there is no knowledge of righteousness apart from Jesus Christ. It is in the pure Gospel of Christ—that He died for our sins, and that He was buried, and that He rose again the third day—that "The righteousness of God is revealed."

Have you been deprived of the natural peace and happiness that is of this world? Perhaps then you may find the peace that Jesus gives! How? Simply believe and obey the Gospel. If you will do this you will be born again, you will see the kingdom of God and rejoice in it. No one who has humbly come to Jesus Christ and accepted Him for all He claimed to be, for cross and all, and has gone out to confess Him in willing obedience, has failed to find peace. He has been born again through belief of the truth. So many are trying to escape the truth, to dilute it and destroy it. To the worldly wise it is foolishness, to the self-righteous it is a stumbling block, but to us who are saved it is power of God to salvation. By obeying the truth we are born again and are no longer servants, but sons, heirs of God, and joint heirs with Christ.

Is there any mystery about the Way of Life? No, and yes.

Is there any mystery about raising sweet peas? You break up the ground, plant the seed, and keep the weeds out; that is your part. God's part is to send the sunshine and rain and impart the life.

In the matter of salvation our part is (1) to break up the fallow ground; that is, to repent; (2), to plant the good seed; that is, to believe the Word; (3), to separate from every hindering thing; that is, to obey the Word. God's part is to impart life and to bring to perfection that which is begun in all who receive Jesus Christ. God's part may indeed be past understanding, but we know what our next steps must be.

And now, listen! "Be ye doers of the word, and not hearers only, deceiving your own selves."

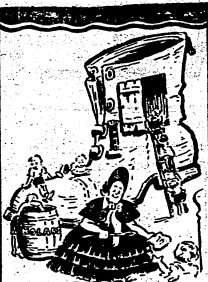
C. L. Chute

George—Why don't you advertise?

Town Storekeeper—No, siree, I did once and it pretty near ruined me.

George—How's that?

Town Storekeeper—Why, people came in and bought dern near all the stock I had.



Advice to Mothers

There was an Old Woman Who lived in a shoe She had so many children She knew what to do: She gave them molasses Spread thick on their bread So they went without spanking Contented to bed.

The Cream of the Cane!

Crosby's Gold Star helps children grow because it has the lime and iron they need. Cream of the cane quality, delicious for table use. In bulk or metal containers at your grocer's.



TIVERTON

(Held over from last week)

Elsworth Outhouse is confined to the house through illness.

Thomas Denton, of Little River, was in town Friday.

J. Bruce, of Bridgetown, was in town last week.

Miss Louise Elliott has returned home from Saint John.

Miss Sarah Ruggles has returned from her visit at Digby, Centerville and Sandy Cove.

Some of our young folks attended the reception of Mr. and Mrs. Grovener (Ed), at East Ferry, Friday evening.

Little Miss Joyce Small entertained a number of her little friends at a birthday party Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Leeman and niece, Jane Laughier, spent Sunday with relatives at Freeport.

Ralph Israel, of Saint John, was in town last week.

Ernest Raymond, of Centerville, was in town Friday.

Reginald Outhouse has gone to Little River to spend a few weeks.

Little Eva Tidd, who has been visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Clifford, has returned to her home at Whale Cove.

Miss Jennie M. Thurber, of Freeport, visited relatives here last week.

Mrs. Ronald Outhouse and Mrs. Linwood Perry visited relatives at Freeport, recently.

Mrs. Fred Cossaboom has gone to Boston to spend a few weeks.

RIVERDALE

Herbert and Glidden Lewis, of Danvers, called on friends here Sunday.

George Burgoyne, who is employed in Weymouth, spent the week-end at his home here.

Misses Grace Marshall and Dorothy Sabine spent the week-end with friends in New Tusket.

Mr. and Mrs. Melbourne Cosman and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Fulton were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Wagner.

New Tusket People Celebrate Happy Event

A big family gathering in Portland, Oregon, Sunday Mar. 1, marked the 60th anniversary of a wedding that took place on a brief February day in 1871. Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McAlpine, farmer and farmer's wife, living on a ranch near Gaston, were the central figures in that far away time, and again took the centre of things Sunday.

The two people about whom all the joy and happiness centered Sunday, are Nova Scotians born within two days of each other in 1848.

Mr. McAlpine is a son of the late John McAlpine, of Danvers, and Mrs. McAlpine is a daughter of the late Peter Mullen, of New Tusket. Mrs. McAlpine was Freeborn Mullen, and has one brother, Shuck, living in New Tusket.

Several years after their marriage, they left for Oregon. In that early time of Portland's history (1838), these two young people entered to found a home. For twenty-three years they lived in the growing city and reared seven children, all of whom with sixteen grandchildren and fifteen great-grandchildren, and many friends congratulated the old, young people Sunday. A happy coincidence was the presence of Mrs. Martha Kinney, nee Miss Martha McAlpine, who was bridesmaid at that long ago wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. McAlpine, unassisted, operate their fifty-five acre farm, milk six cows and care for more than one hundred chickens. There they have lived for the past twenty years, happy, active and independent. They enjoy their present, yet with tender memories of the long years they have travelled together.

A dinner was arranged for the Sunday gathering, and sixty-three relatives and friends were served, duplicating a celebration which was arranged ten years ago, celebrating the 50th wedding anniversary of the same people.

Mr. and Mrs. McAlpine's seven children, all of whom were present with their families are: Mrs. Utavilla Edwards, of Multnomah; Oscar, of Camas, Wash.; Rufus, of Provestal, Wash.; Wallace, of Garibaldi; Frank, of Vancouver, Wash.; and Mrs. Alice Schlegel, of Forest Grove.

The Pictou County Dairy Co., Ltd., at Stellarton, is moving into its new plant which was recently erected. Since the fire which destroyed the creamery, business has been carried on in temporary quarters in the basement of the company's cold storage building. The new plant is modern and up-to-date in every respect.



DELICIOUS flavor—freshen the mouth and sweeten the breath. The very act of chewing relieves nervousness and calms and soothes the over-wrought.

long lasting pleasure and benefit in

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CHEWING GUM

10c a fig

Golden Rod
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Quaker Flour
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BEFORE IT CAN BEAR THE QUAKER BRAND

And think of baking better bread in half the time... with half the effort, and at less cost.

QUAKER FLOUR makes better bread, cake and pastry. Only highest grade western wheat is milled into Quaker Flour. Tested also at every stage in the milling. Baked daily in our own kitchens so we will know it will bake right in yours.

Our booklet "The Quaker Method of Easy Bread Baking" has helped thousands of women to make the most delicious bread, without kneading or setting the sponge. We'll send a copy free if you will write to us... or ask your dealer. The Quaker Oats Company, Peterborough.

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NEW TELEPHONE DIRECTORY

A new issue of the Telephone Directory for the Western District is in course of preparation, and lists will be closed on April 16.

The Directory serves our subscribers in "The Valley" (including Brooklyn, Hamilton and Windsor in Elgin County) and in Digby, Lunenburg, Shelburne, Queens and Yarmouth Counties.

Persons who wish to become Telephone Subscribers at this time, and Telephone subscribers who want changes made in their listings are urged to send in their orders to our nearest business office at once, and at all events not later than April 16th.

We cannot undertake to give effect in the new issue to orders received after that date.

Advertisers who wish to avail themselves of the opportunities for effective yet low priced publicity afforded by use of space in the new issue are requested to communicate with our nearest business office.

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cleans the bathroom in half the usual time

Full strength for Sink Drains Full strength for the toilet bowl In solution for general cleaning

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* Lye should never be dissolved in hot water.

ONE tablespoonful of Gillett's Lye dissolved in a gallon of cold water provides an ideal, safe solution that quickly cleans everything in the bathroom.

Use it to wash walls, the floor, in the sink and bathtub... and remember, when you use Gillett's Lye, each is disinfected as well as cleaned with the one operation.

Once each week, pour full strength Gillett's Lye down the closet bowl and it will always be clean and free-running.

Gillett's Lye has dozens of other handy household uses. Send for the new FREE Gillett's Lye booklet describing the many ways it will help you with all your cleaning.

WALL PAPERS

Our New Stock of Wall Papers is now in the store. It consists of paper suitable for any room in the house. This year's designs are very choice and the colors are delightful. Come in and look over our samples, whether you are ready to buy yet or not.

Mrs B. Morse - Water St.

MUSKRATS

There is a great deal of money to be made in raising Muskrats in pens. You don't need ponds, lakes nor streams. These pens are placed on dry land. The muskrats are easily fed and cared for. They will eat most any kind of vegetable.

Records show that they will breed from three to five times a year, and have from four to fourteen young to the litter.

You can buy Muskrats from us for breeding stock, with completely equipped pens and raise them on your farm. The Company will purchase your increase at an attractive price. Or we can ranch them for you, if you wish, on attractive terms.

The Company have, now located on the Dutch Village Road, near Halifax, the largest and best equipped pen ranch in Canada. You are invited to call and inspect our ranch or write us for full particulars.

Local Representative Wanted
MARITIME FUR FARMS LIMITED
Capitol Theatre Building HALIFAX, N. S.

Spring Cleaning

It really costs little to have your Bedspreads, Comforters, Drapes, Motor Rugs, Etc. Dry Cleaned and made Sanitary. Our methods are safe.

Men's Suits and Spring Coats (Economy Prices) \$1.

Our Bear River customers are asked to leave their parcels with Harry E. Harris.

Orders left at B. J. Hoop's Store, Digby, will be called for and delivered.

Hirtle's Dry Cleaning and Dyeing

Box 48 Smith's Cove, N. S.
Our Motto—"We Clean Cleaner"

Housecleaning Time Is Just Around the Corner

As you know we carry a full line of
Martin Senour 100% Pure Paint
This Spring's quotation on these paints is lower than for some years.

We also carry first quality Varnishes in the No. 61

Last to mention we have a full line of

Arco-Var Enamels

a superior enamel finish for every purpose and every surface.

Give us a call for your required needs.

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BATTERY CHARGING
DIGBY - NOVA SCOTIA

The Same Old Trout Pools Are Waiting

The pool where you lost the big fish last year will be worth trying again this year. The thrill of a good strike never lessens until we are too old to hold a rod. A good fishing day, a good rod; add to these the beauties of the trout fishing country and it makes a combination hard to beat.

We have a Split Bamboo Rod selling for \$5.50, which is a beauty for the money.

Other Rods in Steel and Bamboo from \$1.00 up

Milwards Flies

Silk tied with fast color bait will give you full value for the money, and the assorted dozen package is a handy way to fill in the fly book. We stock all the standard flies most used in this part of the country.

Silk and Cotton Lines

From 10c to \$1.50, and we would most certainly like to have you see our silk line at 50c.

Reels in Single and Double Action 45c to \$1.60

Landing Nets, Leaders, Hooks, Bait Boxes, Leader and Fly Cases and Baskets.

The season will soon be open so let's look over the outfit now.

DAKIN BROS.

The Cash Hardware Store

McClary's Stoves and Ranges

Telephone 51 Digby, N. S.

Enjoyable Reception At Centreville

A very enjoyable event took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shaw, on Thursday evening last, when a large number of young people assembled, the occasion being a reception given in honor of their son, Ernest Shaw, and bride, who was formerly Miss Pearl Frost, of Little River. She was becomingly gowned in blue flat crepe with silk trimmings and matching accessories. The evening was spent in games and music, and refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. She received many useful and costly gifts.

The out-of-town guests included: Zelma Frost, sister of the bride; Aubrey and Eldrid Frost, brothers of the bride; Ernest Frost, Lawrence Trask, Clyde Denton, Roy Denton, Dorothy Denton, Gertrude Denton, Faye Denton, Georgina Denton, Helen Frost, Margaret and Helena Kelly, Freda Teed and Margaret Frost.

Their many friends extend to Mr. and Mrs. Shaw best wishes for the future.

PIMPLES

ACACIAVILLE

Mrs. Stuart Goldsmith entertained the Ladies' Aid on Thursday of last week. Owing to the storm, the attendance was not as large as usual.

Mrs. W. A. Bacon visited her sister, Mrs. Masters, in Deep Brook, last week. She returned on Monday, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Franklin are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a baby boy, March 10.

Mrs. Stuart Goldsmith is visiting in Digby, the guest of Mrs. McPhee.

Burton Goodwin and Henry Marshall, of Digby, who have exchanged places, moved this week.

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PORT WADE

James Snow is making a business trip to Eastport and Lubec, this week.

John on Monday to join the steamer Elizabeth Cann.

Miss Lita Longmire returned to Hillsburn on Wednesday. The schooner Tagati, Capt. Thaurber, harbored here on Saturday evening, en route to Freeport.

Spencer Merry had a narrow escape from drowning on Monday afternoon, when the boat from which he was setting lobster traps, filled and capsized, throwing him into the water.

Sometime later, when Harry Munroe and others, hearing his cries for help, had rowed off to his assistance, they found Mr. Merry (who is 72 years of age) clinging to the side of his boat, unconscious. A crowd soon collected and carried him to his home, giving first aid. An hour later Dr. Braine, of Annapolis, was on the scene, and hopes are entertained for recovery.

Deep Brook Farmers Know Their Turnips

C. M. Langille, River John, was on Wednesday last awarded the provincial championship in the production of seed oats on his samples exhibited at the Show at the Agricultural College, Truro. C. D. Langille, also of River John, carried off second place, and third went to A. C. Chisholm, of North Grant, Antigonish Co.

In connection with these awards it is interesting to note that for some years the Langilles of River John, have produced the first quality oats of the province. Year after year, by very careful selection, they have finally developed an exceptionally fine type of Banner oats. Their one ambition, it is said, has been to hold the high place for the district and to help any neighbor to improve his crop by aiding in cleaning his

CENTRAL GROVE

Merrill Bartheaux, of Moschelle, was a recent guest at the home of Stewart Small.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Morrell, of Westport, were the week-end guests of the latter's father, Geo. Delaney.

The pastor, Rev. Mr. Ackley, returned from Saint John last week, having been called there by the severe illness of his mother.

The many friends of John Shaw, of Port Maitland, (formerly of this place) will be glad to know he is slowly improving, after his sad accident in which he lost a leg.

The W. M. A. S. held an entertainment in the Hall here recently. Following is the programme:

Reading—Mrs. C. M. Tibert. Reading—Miss M. Small.

Monologue—“Loretta's Chances” Mrs. Wm. Delaney.

Play—“Sewing for the Heathen”

seed or by supplying him with their grade of seed.

In the grading of turnip seed first prize went to Ralph Rodney, Yarmouth, and the next nine places were awarded to residents of the Deep Brook district. In the latter area the greater part of the producers use the Ditmars seed, which is said to have been originally imported from Scotland and to have been raised to its present standard by the father of R. V. Ditmars, who carried off second place in the present competition.

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Miss Whitman, teacher at Ashmore, was a dinner guest at Beech Knoll, Weymouth North, on Sunday.

Mrs. C. R. Nowlan, of Wolfville, is a guest of her sister, Mrs. C. F. Saezan, at New Tusket.

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WESTPORT

Alvah Young, of Freeport, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gower.

The Misses Belya and Lulu Outhouse, of Tiverton, spent a few days with friends here, returning home on Monday.

Miss Leona Gower arrived from Yarmouth on Tuesday of last week, being called home by the illness of her mother, Mrs. R. Gower.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Thurber, of Freeport, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Stevens returned to Freeport on Friday, after spending a week with their daughter, Mrs. Albert Moore.

Delma Gower has returned to Halifax.

Miss Dorothy Brooks was the recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Peters.

Alton Lewis has returned to Boston.

The Willing Workers held a pantry sale in the vestry on Friday afternoon. The sum of \$13 was realized for church purposes.

Leland McDormand left on Saturday for Clementsvalle, where he has accepted a school.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Bowers have returned from Boston.

Harry Thurber, of Freeport, was in town on Sunday.

Quite a number from here attended the Masonic supper at Freeport, on Friday evening.

A number of the young people held a dance in the L. O. O. F. Hall on Friday evening.

Mrs. Charles Thompson has returned from Lowell, Mass.

Mrs. Charles Tidd, of Freeport, who spent the past week with relatives here, returned home on Monday.

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WHO'S WHO

Hon. J. Adelard Godbout

THE youngest member of the government of the Province of Quebec, Hon. J. Adelard Godbout holds the important portfolio of Minister of Agriculture. He is also chairman of the Quebec Committee of the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference.

Born at St. Eloi, in 1892, Mr. Godbout obtained B.A. and B.S.A. degrees from the Laval University and took graduate work in animal husbandry at the Massachusetts College in 1918 to 1920.

From 1922 to 1925 he was county agriculturist for L'Islet County and was appointed professor of animal husbandry at the agricultural school of St. Anne de la Poutriere in 1918.

In 1929 Mr. Godbout was elected to the Legislature of Quebec for the L'Islet seat. He is a member of the Canadian Society of Technical Agriculturalists.



DEEP BROOK

Mrs. W. A. Bacon, of Hill Grove, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. Marsters, has returned home.

Mrs. John Adams, who has been spending the winter with her son, Kenneth, in Boston, arrived home on Friday.

Mrs. Myrtle Jackson entertained the Dorcas Society last Wednesday afternoon, at a quilting. There were a good number present. At the close of the meeting refreshments were served.

Here and There

More than thirty carloads of apples have been shipped recently to the Boston, New York and Chicago markets from Bathurst, N.B. The value of these shipments is placed at about \$45,000.

An increased enrollment in both common and high schools, an increase in teachers and in average attendance were indicated in the report of the schools of New Brunswick for the year ending October 31, 1930.

Last year's catch of salmon in British Columbia totaled 216,500,000 pounds, the highest ever recorded. About 2,200,000 cases have been canned, most of it to be exported to different parts of the world.

Good progress was made in 1930 in civil aviation in Canada, particularly in commercial flying. A total of 87,463 hours was flown, an increase of 7,667 hours over the flying time of registered aeroplanes in 1929.

An advance of about 800,000 in net tonnage handled at the port of Vancouver during 1930 is shown in the annual report of the Vancouver Merchant Exchange, tonnage in 1930 being 1,476,534 against 11,984,771 in 1929.

Latest reports on the output of the central electric stations in Canada states that in 1930 power generated from such stations totaled 17,823,121 thousands of kilowatt hours, an increase of 135,245 thousands of K.W. hours over 1929.

When the new 42,500-ton Empress of Britain, Canadian Pacific Atlantic flagship, goes on a world cruise, she will break at least 23 records. Except for Southampton and New York she will be the largest vessel ever to enter world cruise ports.

Prediction of a favorable year for the fruit growers of the Annapolis Valley is already being made for 1931. B. B. Soper, Superintendent of the Government Experimental Farm, Kentville, N.S., announces there is every indication of an excellent crop, adding that fruit buds had formed unusually well and were plentiful.

Statistics gathered from cities and towns having a population of 4,000 and over show that in 1928 such cities with a total population of 3,359,703 the number of police officers employed was 5,004, one officer to every 671 persons. As an instance of their efficiency it is reported that of the 11,160 automobiles stolen in the year 1929, all but 10 were recovered.

While industry and commerce are preparing their plants and methods for low-cost operation and quality service in the coming contest for home and export markets, our railway systems, a primary implement of these occupations, are cramped in that respect by inability to accumulate reserves in fat years as did other corporations, according to resolutions adopted at the annual meeting of the Railway Business Association.

SCOUT NOTES

At last Thursday's meeting, patrol leader, Allan Harris, of the Peewits, received further honors. In addition to being presented with Proficiency Badges as Pathfinder and Friend to Animals, he was also presented with the badge of King's Scout, the first award of this kind to be made in the history of the troop.

On Saturday last the Spring hiking season opened. Eleven scouts were in attendance. The route followed, led first to Morgantown and then branched off on the Labrador road, with the McDormand Camp as destination for noon. Ira Davis and Hinson MacLeod successfully passed their firelighting and cooking tests and Billy Fleming passed his, firelighting test. With two feet of snow in the woods and the problem of finding dry wood and lighting a fire with only one match, this is a test that might present difficulties to a good many grownups. After the feeding problem was completed there was tracking practice and compass work, and the homeward route taken over the Indian Hill.

Walter Read, patrol leader of the Foxes, has just returned home from Truro, after attending a short course at the Agricultural College in Grain Judging. While there he gave a splendid account of himself. In the Junior Grain Judging contest he was the leader of the team that brought the cup to Annapolis County, and in the Open Grain Judging Contest, which is open to every one including college students under 25, he took second place, and he also took a place and prize in Potato Judging.

On Friday afternoon next an organization meeting will be held in connection with the Cubs. Harold Hatheway has consented to be Cubmaster, so we are expecting to see a flourishing Cub Pack in action within a short time.

Miss Mabel Harris left on Tuesday for Boston.

The members of the Institute met on Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. L. J. Lovett, to sew for the community chest for the Digby Hospital. A large number was in attendance. Lunch was served by the hostesses. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. H. C. Anthony, on Monday afternoon.

On Thursday evening, March 19th, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Butler were guests of honor at a most enjoyable three-table supper bridge, given by Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Campbell. At the conclusion of play, a framed picture of Bear River was presented to Mrs. Butler, as a memento, and the prizes for the evening were awarded to Mrs. A. G. MacIntyre, L. M. Butler, Mrs. J. H. Cunningham and A. B. Marshall.

SMITH'S COVE

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Morgan entertained a number of friends on the eve of St. Patrick's Day. The evening was spent most enjoyable in music, particularly Irish songs. The hostess served refreshments, suggestive of shamrock.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cossaboom entertained at four tables of bridge and forty-fives at their home on Thursday evening last. The prize winners for bridge were—Ladies' high, Mrs. E. B. Taylor; gents' high, Earl Cossaboom; low, Ralph Cossitt. For forty-fives—Ladies' high, Mrs. Ralph Cossitt; gents' high, Harold Sulis; low, Miss Austin.

The ladies of the United Baptist Church gave a "kraut supper" Thursday evening last. The proceeds, which amounted to \$23.00, were for church purposes.

Rev. J. W. Banfield, F. R. G. S., who has spent thirty years in Africa, gave an illustrated lecture on Missions in Africa, in the United Baptist Church, Saturday evening last.

The members of the United Baptist Sunday School are rehearsing for a Pageant, "I Am The Resurrection", to be given Easter Monday night, in the church.

Rev. Dr. H. R. Grant delivered a very able address in the United Church, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. John Adams, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. R. Thomas, and Mr.



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Thomas, the past week, returned to her home in Deep Brook, Monday.

Miss Mary Walker, of Digby, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred McHugh.

Capt. Robert Austin is confined to his home through illness.

A number from here were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Dittmars, Deep Brook, Tuesday evening.

A. J. Cornwall, who has been confined to his home with pleurisy, is much improved.

BEAR RIVER EAST

Miss Lillian vanBuskirk was the week-end guest of Miss Addie Perkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Trimmer, of Greenland, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sanford on Sunday.

Maynard Rosencrantz is the guest of his brother, Tom Rosencrantz.

Mrs. Mary E. Maher, who has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Noble Sanford, returned home on Thursday.

The Misses Kat Robinson and Goodway, have been holding meetings at Greenland, at the home of Samuel Berry. Among those attending from this place were: Mr. and Mrs. Howard Buckler and family, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rosencrantz, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Berry, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Long.

The Mite Society met on Friday at the home of Mrs. David Dukeshire.

JOGGIN BRIDGE

Ralph Marshall, of Marshalltown, called on friends in this village on Saturday.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Foster on the birth of a son.

Ira Rice, of Bear River, called on friends here Sunday.

Miss Violet Cossitt is now residing in Chester.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Alcorn, of Bear River, were guests of M. M. Woodman, one day last week.

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Local and Personal

Mrs. George Croscup is on the sick roll.

Sam Parker is confined to the house through illness.

R. R. Baxter returned on Saturday from Yarmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. McKinnon arrived on Friday from Meteghan.

Harvey E. Chisholm spent several days at Truro last week.

Miss Lahla Robar spent the week-end with Mrs. Alden Wambolt.

G. Gatti and M. Whitman, of Bridgetown, were in town recently.

Miss Margaret Peters, of Bridgetown, is the guest of Mrs. Otis Rice.

Dr. L. J. Lovett entertained the men's bridge club on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. L. J. Lovett was the hostess at the Institute tea on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Murray Harris and family spent Sunday at her father's at Clementsvale.

Guy McIntosh, representing the National Drug Co., was in town on Monday.

Hallet Banks, of Maine, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Banks.

The Brotherhood of the United Church, met on Wednesday evening in the vestry.

Geo. Curtis left on the "midnight", Sunday, for Halifax, to join a steamer there.

Miss Harriett Rice returned on Saturday from a trip spent at Middleton and Bridgetown.

St. John's Guild met on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. M. Romans.

Mrs. Fletcher Milbury is nursing at the home of Mrs. Turnbull, at the poultry farm.

The Ladies' Aid was entertained on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Maurice Benson.

Mrs. Louise Hillyard, of Providence, R. I., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Alcorn.

Remember the date of the annual Easter Pantry and Apron Sale of the Baptist circle, on April 4th.

Fowler Robinson, who has been confined to his home with a severe cold, is well on the road to recovery.

Walter Dukeshire, who is working on the new post office at Middleton, spent the week-end at his home.

Don't forget the play—"Willows", in Oakdene Hall, April 8th, by the C. G. I. T. Group of the United Church.

Mr. Steele, of Lawrenceville, was in town recently, and a meeting of the calf club was held at the home of Edward McDormand.

Mrs. R. J. Anthony entertained the members of the ladies' circle of the United Baptist Church, on Tuesday evening of this week.

Rev. J. W. Banfield, F. R. G. S., who has spent thirty years in Africa, gave an illustrated lecture on Missions in Africa, in the I. O. O. F. Hall on Friday night to a large audience.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McKenna, of Meteghan River, arrived on Thursday, and are guests at the Grand Central Hotel. Mr. McKenna takes over the management of the Royal Bank here from Mr. Butler, who has been transferred to Halifax.

The school orchestra are having a concert on April 1st, at 8.30 in Oakdene Hall. Admission 10 cents for school children and 25 cents for adults.—Home made candy for sale. Money raised to be used for music and instruments. All come!

On Friday afternoon, March 20th, Mrs. L. J. Lovett entertained at a delightful three-table bridge, in honor of Mrs. L. M. Butler, who leaves shortly to take up residence in Halifax. At the tea hour the guests were taken to the dining room, where the decorations were carried out in pink and green; the tea table being particularly attractive with its baskets of pale pink snap dragons. Mrs. J. H. Cunningham presided over the coffee urn, and Miss Bea Anthony and Mrs. MacIntyre assisted in serving. The guest of honor was presented with a "Brown Betty" tea pot; the tea guest prize was won by Mrs. Fred Schmidt, and the contract prizes by Mrs. MacIntyre and Mrs. A. B. Campbell.



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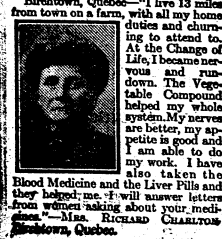
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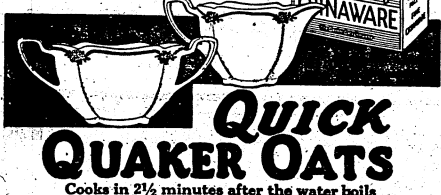
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MILFORD CORNER

Payne, for a social evening, on Saturday.

Mrs. Archie Milbury and children are out again after their recent illnesses—Jesse Berry is confined to his home with a severe cold—Katherine Payne is out again after being confined to chelle, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Chute, who has been sick at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Burton of Frude, Bear River, will be able to come home soon.

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Social Affairs Of
Freeport Young People

On Friday evening the members of the Freeport B. Y. P. U. observed a "Longfellow" evening. A sketch of Longfellow's life was given by the President, Miss Mildred Thurber, and some of his poems were read by Misses Theresa Nichols, Evelyn Finigan, Evelyn Thurber and Oressa Thurber, also Bradford Finigan and Theodore Morrell. Miss Evelyn Thurber told the story of "The Courtship of Miles Standish" after which a part of it was dramatized, Miss Vera Stevens taking the part of Priscilla, and Keith Perry the part of John Alden. A duet was beautifully rendered by Misses Jennie Thurber and Evelyn Finigan. A very profitable evening was enjoyed.

The Senior C. G. I. T. group gave a social for an equal number of members of the opposite sex on Monday evening.

The programme consisted of the following:

The regular business meeting.

Duet—Misses Viola Nickerson and Oressa Thurber.

A repetition of the debate—"Resolved that the old-fashioned girl was better than the modern girl is."

Duet—Misses Pearl and Evelyn Thurber.

Games were played then, after which refreshments were served. There were thirty present.

VICTORIA BEACH

A fifteen-cent tea was held at the home of Mrs. Joseph Haynes, on Friday evening, March 13, proceeds for church purposes.

The marriage of George Haynes and Miss Olive Munroe, both of Grandville, was solemnized at Grandville Ferry, by the Rev. G. T. Bryant, on March 11.

Maurice Mills left on Monday last for Saint John, where he will spend a few days.

Mrs. George McWhinnie is visiting her daughter, Mrs. John McGrath, jr.

John Ring left on March 16th for Saint John, where he will visit his daughter, Mrs. May Hanson.

Mrs. Orbin Everitt spent the week-end in Mount Pleasant, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Isaac Everitt.

PORT WADE

Mrs. K. L. Oliver, of Grandville Ferry, who has been visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mussells, has returned home.

Miss Lita Longmire, of Hillsburn, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Earle Casey.

Mr. and Mrs. James Johns returned home on Saturday from Brighton, where they had been visiting Mrs. Johns' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cowman.

The Mission Band held an interesting session in the United Baptist Church here on Sunday evening. The meeting was in charge of Miss Lillian Johns, who gave the lesson. Others assisted with readings and music.

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FREEPORT

Mrs. Elmer Bates spent the week-end in Whale Cove, the guest of Mrs. Webster Frost.

Mrs. George Stanton spent the week-end in Tidville.

Ralph Israel has returned to Saint John.

Miss Gertrude Elliott, of Tiverton, was the guest of Mrs. Oda Thurper from Thursday until Sunday last week.

B. S. Morrell went to Weymouth Wednesday, returning Friday.

The M. S. "Tugate" is making her first trip after being hauled up for the winter months. She has gone to Saint John with a car of canned fish, for Western Canada, thence to Parrsboro for a cargo of coal.

Evangelistic services will be held in the First Baptist Church here, beginning Sunday evening, March 22, leading up to Easter Sunday.

ASHMORE

The Misses Margaret and Roberta Rand, Alice Doty and Dorothy Coggins were the week end guests of Mrs. George Doty.

The Women's Aid Society of the Baptist church met at the home of Mrs. Ellsworth Kinney, on Wednesday afternoon.

Willard Kinney, and Alfred White are among those on the sick list.

Mrs. Seleda Stevens, who has been visiting Mrs. Powell, at Plympton, has returned to her daughter's, Mrs. Harley Brooks.

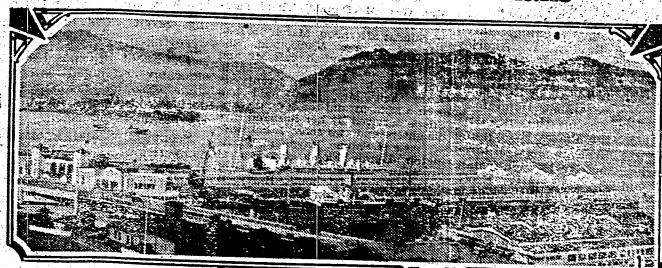
Scott Manzer is recovering from his recent illness.

The Mission Band of the Baptist Church met at the home of Mrs. Harley Brooks, Saturday afternoon. A good number of the members were present.

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COMMUNITY "SING"

The Weymouth North weekly Sing was held in the Guild Hall on Monday evening. As there was no sing last week the programme was mostly Irish in honor of St. Patrick, and was as follows:

O Canada.

Wearing of the Green.

Solo—"The Jaunting Car", Mrs. E. M. Skidmore.

Reading—"Thady DeLaney and the Census", Miss K. Fitzgerald.

Clementine.

Spanish Cavalier.

Recitation—Little Miss Dorothy D'Eon.

Recitation—Miss Alice Thurber.

Dance—Mrs. Norman Burns, sr.

Duet—Misses Alice Burns and Elsie Butler.

Ham and Eggs and Weymouth North.

Piano Solos—"When Irish Eyes Are Smiling Through", and "Mother MacCreary", Mrs. Haines Marshall.

Peggy O'Neill.

My Wild Irish Rose.

Solo—Little Miss Dorothy D'Eon.

Old Black Joe.

Carry Me Back to Old Virginia.

Solo—"The Hat My Father Wore".

Mrs. E. M. Skidmore.

Dance—Mrs. Norman Burns, sr.

Reading—"At Lammag's Ball".

Prisoner's Song.

Marching Through Georgia.

Dancing—Mrs. Burns accompanied by Joseph Risseau on the harmonica.

National Anthem.

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Little Miss Violet, blooming and sweet.

Has her new Easter bonnet, all trimmed and complete.

The trim is rich purple with hair-lines of black;

It flares at the front, and fits close at the back.

There's a bow knot of yellow and strings of pea green—

A prettier bonnet has never been seen.

But Miss Violet's careful, and keeps it well hid.

In her underground handbox, and holds fast the lid;

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